Today's Weather. Rain.

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President Ramsey said in New York that the sale of the properties of the Little Kanawha syndicate might be closed before he sailed for Europe tomorrow.—Page 1.

John C. Driscoll, formerly secretary of the Associated Building Trades Council of Chicago, made startling disclosures to the grand jury regarding dealings between employers and union labor leaders in Chicago.—Page 1.

Commencement exercises are in full bloom all over the country.—Page 10.

A trust agreement was executed, turning over to Grover Cleveland, Justice Morgan, J. O'Brien and George Westinghouse of Pittsburgh, control of the stock formerly held by James H. Hyde and now owned by Thomas F. Ryan. The trustees issued a letter asking the policy-holders to express their preference for representatives on the board of directors.—Page 2.

FOREIGN.

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PENNSYLVANIA.

Mayor Weaver entered upon the work of probing city contracts. It was established that Leader Durham, Senator McNichol and Councilman Caven were financially interested in the city work and the latter, after the hearing, was held for court. City councils will repeal the franchises granted to the Rapid Transit Company and vetoed by the mayor.—Page 1.

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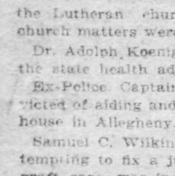
They are playing very rowdy ball in the Tri-State league—Page 9.

THE WEATHER

Rain and cooler today and probably rains tomorrow are the weather predictions for Pittsburgh and vicinity furnished by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature in Pittsburgh yesterday was 90 and the minimum 67 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 4:47 and set cloudy at 7:52. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:



Rain

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.08	70	85	S.E.	P.Cldy.
8 p. m.	29.98	88	59	N.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for June 15.

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	90	82	Mean	71	74
Minimum	67	65	Precipitation	0	9
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	73		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.11	
Excess for day	6		Dfcy. for day	.11	
Dfcy. since June 1.	16		Exc. since June 1.	.77	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	150		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	2.49	

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Thunder showers Friday and probably Saturday; cooler Friday; variable winds.

Ohio—Thunder showers Friday, cooler in north portion; Saturday, showers; fresh east to south winds.

West Virginia—Thunder showers and cooler Friday; Saturday, thunder showers.

Observations taken at 8 p. m. at the various weather bureau stations:

Chicago	84	Clear	Atlanta	78	Cloudy
Des Moines	82	Cloudy	Philadelphia	76	Clear
Omaha	78	Cloudy	Baltimore	78	Cloudy
Cincinnati	70	Rain	New York	72	Clear
Norfolk	74	Clear	Buffalo	80	Pt.Cldy
Washington	78	Clear	Cleveland	76	Cloudy
Kansas City	86	Cloudy	Jacksonville	78	Clear
Oklahoma	92	Clear	Galveston	84	Clear
St. Louis	86	Clear	St. Paul	78	Clear
El Paso	82	Cloudy	Helena	88	Pt.Cldy
Louisville	74	Cloudy	Bismarck	84	Cloudy
Memphis	78	Pt.Cldy	Cheyenne	86	Cloudy
Little Rock	86	Clear	Denver	78	Cloudy
San Antonio	90	Clear	Salt Lake	74	Clear

JAPAN'S TERMS ARE MODERATE

Russia Knows This, and Washington Will Entertain Conference.

LIST OF DEMANDS

Indemnity Asked May Not Be More Than $500,000,000, or About Cost of War.

PROTOCOL IS THE NEXT STEP

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15.

Washington has been selected as the peace-making point. Russia has gained a sufficient idea of the terms Japan will require to end the war to know that they are moderate, and that the plenipotentiaries will enter upon their task with promise of success.

Before President Roosevelt was able to get the czar to consent to peace overtures, it was necessary for the United States to convey to Russia an informal expression of belief that Japan's demands would not be excessive and that Russia could conclude an honorable peace. The negotiations as to place of meeting, which culminated today in the selection of Washington, have already led to a broad-minded attitude on the part of both governments toward the question of peace, and to the demonstration of a moderate spirit by Japan.

President Roosevelt has used his influences to counsel moderation on Japan's part. Germany and France have also counselled Japan to moderation, but their voice is not so potent as that of America. England has taken the attitude that whatever Japan, her ally, demands is right. Here is the idea which prevails as to Japan's terms:

An indemnity not to aggregate more than the cost of the war and possibly not more than $500,000,000, to be discharged on easy terms.

Japan's control of Korea, the Liao Tung peninsula; Japanese or international control of the Manchurian railway.

Restoration of Manchuria to China, and removal of the adherence of Russia and Japan to the principle of the open door.

It is considered improbable at this juncture that Japan will impose any restrictions regarding Vladivostok, regarding the movement of Russian naval forces in the far east, or that she will demand the island of Sakhalien.

Early Armistice Necessary.

There is a strong probability that Count Cassini and Mr. Takahira may soon be directed to sign such a protocol in Washington suspending hostilities, or an armistice may be concluded between Generals Oyama and Linevitch in Manchuria. President Roosevelt regards the early declaration of an armistice necessary to the success of the peace negotiations. A battle now might derange the whole plan and reverse the conciliatory spirit of both governments.

Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, had a conference with the president at the White House tonight, as did also Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, who arrived before Mr. Takahira left.

Count Cassini's suggestion of Washington as the meeting place was made by him at a conference with the president at the White House this morning after Japan had objected to The Hague. Russia's nomination of Washington was designed as a compliment to the president for his friendly and successful effort in behalf of peace. Japan also suggested Washington in lieu of The Hague. Official announcement of the selection was made by Secretary Loeb at the White House at 1:23 p. m. today, as follows:

The Hague Not Acceptable.

When the two governments were unable to agree upon either Cheefoo or Paris the president suggested The Hague, but both governments have now requested that Washington be chosen as the place of meeting, and the president has accordingly formally notified both governments that Washington will be so selected.

This statement was supplemented shortly afterward by a semi-official announcement that "after meeting and organizing, the plenipotentiaries of the two governments, if it should be found to be uncomfortably hot in Washington, may adjourn the meeting to some summer resort in the north and there continue their sittings until such time as the weather in Washington will be more comfortable.

Japan objected particularly to The Hague, believing it was too far within the sphere of Russian influence; for a similar reason she declined favorably to consider Geneva. Until today, however, Japan's irreconcilable opposition to the selection of any European capital was not known definitely. At a conference which Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister had with President Roosevelt today, he conveyed to the president the Japanese government's final refusal to consent to the holding of the conference in Europe.

The refusal of Japan to the holding of the conference in Europe was communicated by President Roosevelt to the Russian ambassador and was likewise cabled to St. Petersburg. While the president did not act in the capacity of arbiter between Russia and Japan, he was in a position, after the conference with Minister Takahira and his communication to Ambassador Cassini, formally to announce the selection of Washington as the seat of the conference.

Within a few days at most, Russia and Japan will probably announce formally the names of their respective plenipotentiaries. Coincidentally an agreement will likely be reached as to the time of holding the conference—a detail of particular concern at this season, not only to those who are actively to participate in it, but also to diplomats generally who are accredited to this capital. A midsummer conference, so prolonged as a peace conference is likely to be, is not regarded with entirely pleasant anticipations.

Both Russia and Japan are moving with

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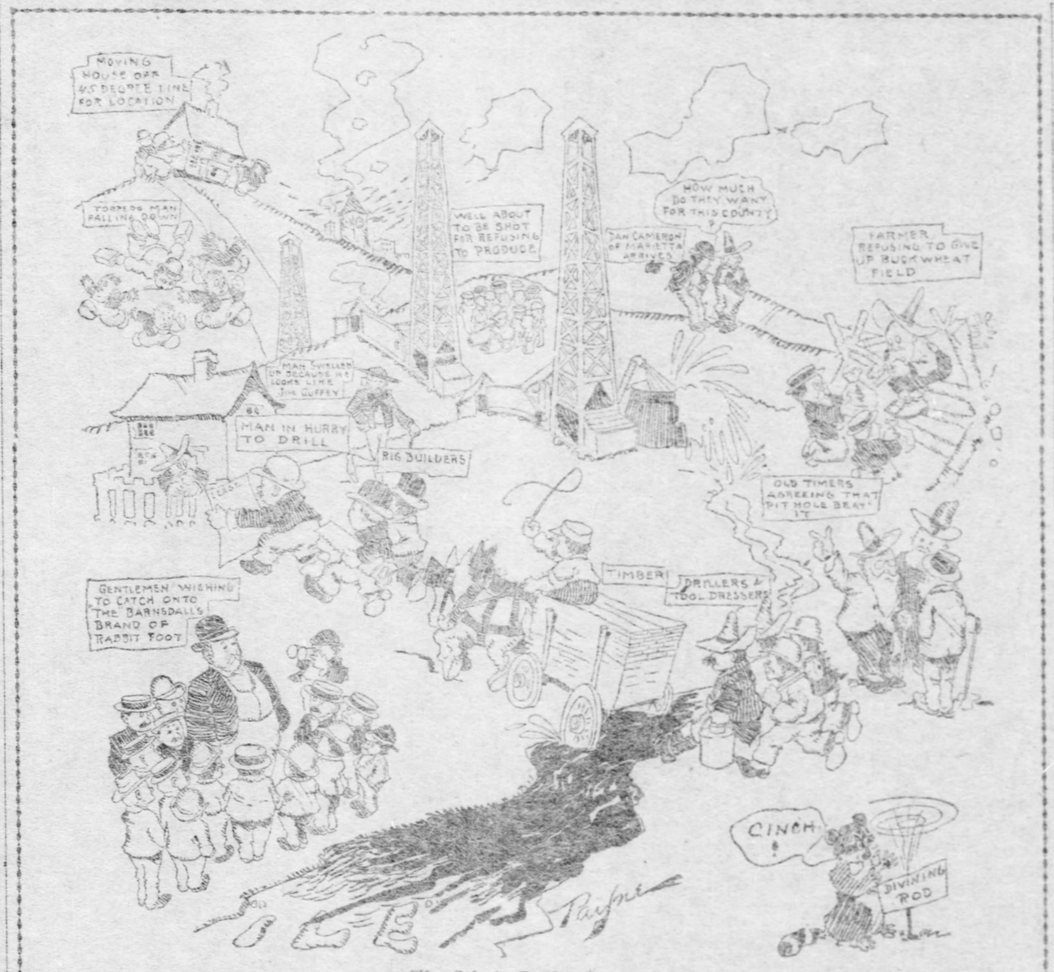
MOVING HOUSE OFF 45 DEGREE LINE FOR LOCATION
TORPEDO MAN PULLING DOWN
WELL ABOUT TO BE SHOT FOR REFUSING TO PRODUCE
MAN SWELLED UP BECAUSE HE LOOKS LIKE THE DUFFEY
MAN IN HURRY TO DRILL
RIG BUILDERS
HOW MUCH DO THEY WANT FOR THIS COUNTY?
SAM CAMERON OF HARRISBURG ARRIVES
FARMER REFUSING TO GIVE UP BUCKWHEAT FIELD
OLD TIMERS AGREEING THAT PIT HOLE BEAT IT
TIMBER
DRILLERS & TOOL DRESSERS
GENTLEMEN WISHING TO CATCH ONTO THE BARNSDALL'S BRAND OF RABBIT FOOT
CINCH
DIVINING ROD

The Stir in Butler County.

ONE DEATH, FOUR PROSTRATIONS

Temperature Reaches a Maximum of 90 Degrees, Hottest of the Year.

RELIEF PROMISED FOR TODAY

One death and four prostrations followed in the wake of yesterday's oppressive heat. As far back as the records of the Pittsburgh weather bureau extend there has been but once, in 1891, when the temperature reached a greater altitude on June 15. On that date the thermometer registered 92. In 1892 the maximum temperature on June 15, was 90, which was also the highest point reached yesterday. Yesterday's heat victims were as follows:

CHILD of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Mitchell of McKeesport.

STANLEY SHEUENSKY, a laborer aged 32, employed in the Lindsay-McCutcheon mills, Allegheny.

CHARLES BOWMAN, aged 40, 325 Chestnut street, Allegheny.

FRANK OLLER, chief clerk in the offices of Supt. Benebrake of the Pennsylvania Lines; taken to his home in Crafton.

JULIUS CONOLOSKY, employed at the Thirty-third street mills, overcome at work and taken to West Penn hospital.

Mr. Oller was eating his dinner in the Union depot restaurant when overcome. Medical attention was provided for him at the station and he was then hurriedly taken home. His condition is said to be serious.

Shehuensky is at the Allegheny General hospital. He was at work in the mill and was seen to fall just before the noon hour. A physician examined him at the mills and ordered his removal to the hospital.

Bowman is also at the Allegheny General hospital. He was overcome while walking along Federal street, near Robinson street, Allegheny. His condition is not thought to be serious.

The official forecaster at Washington promises relief for today and the information to the local weather office would indicate rain and cooler weather. There were thunder storms in various parts of Ohio yesterday afternoon and in the early evening. Cincinnati, Toledo and Sandusky all suffering in this respect. The weather map shows a regular procession of storms coming up from the southwest which will eventually hit Pittsburgh unless sidetracked in the lakes.

RAMSEY MAY CLOSE DEAL.

President of Wabash Says Sale of Kanawha Properties is Likely to Occur by Tomorrow.

NEW YORK, June 15.—President Joseph Ramsey of the Wabash Railroad Company, who is head of the Little Kanawha syndicate, which has been considering the sale of the properties to the Gould interests, was in New York today.

President Ramsey was seen at the Wabash offices and said the deal for the sale of the Kanawha properties was still open but might be closed before he sailed for Europe on Saturday.

SCORE OF PASSENGERS HURT IN COLLISION

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., June 15.—A score of people were injured in a collision between a street car and a New York Central passenger train at a street crossing tonight. E. Archer, a Brantford lacrosse player, was seriously hurt. Among other injured were: Miss Emily Brown, spine and chest injured, and Mrs. Virginia F. Brown, right wrist sprained and knee injured, both of 1907 Pine street, Philadelphia.

TWELVE ARE INDICTED IN BEEF TRUST INVESTIGATION

CHICAGO, June 15.—(Special.)—Two important heads of the beef trust have been indicted by the federal grand jury. Ten other persons have also been indicted. The names of the 12 men will be kept secret until they have been arrested by the United States marshal. The grand jury nearly completed its work in the beef trust hearing today.

FIERCE STORM BREAKS ON HAPPY PICNICKERS

Rock Point Park Visited by Miniature Cyclone Which Breeds Panic.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROCK POINT, PA., June 15.—While five thousand happy picnickers were enjoying themselves at Rock Point grove this afternoon, a terrific storm swept down the Beaver valley. Trees were uprooted and a panic spread among the women and children. So far as learned only one person was injured, Miss Haller, daughter of J. Haller, a Beaver Falls contractor.

The picnic was a union gathering of the members and friends of the Sunday schools of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches of New Brighton, Bridgewater, Rochester, Beaver and Beaver Falls. Late in the afternoon, just an hour or two before the guests expected to depart for their homes, heavy clouds shot up. The picnic party gathered under the ample shelters provided in the park and expected the storm would pass in a short time. A few minutes later, with scarcely any warning, a terrific storm of wind, rain and lightning burst upon the assembled merrymakers.

The storm came with tremendous fury but seemed to cut a narrow swath across the country. Before all of the picnickers had reached the shelter of the pavilions the storm was on them and many were caught in the woods. The storm passed in a few minutes as suddenly as it came. But it had caused a tremendous scare among the park visitors and dozens of women and children fainted from fright during its continuance.

All telephone and telegraph wires are reported down in that vicinity, although other parts of Lawrence county, in which Rock Point is situated, and none of Beaver experienced any unusual storm. Communication with the park was cut off last night and the railroad company was unable to learn anything of the trouble or of its trains, which were to haul the picnickers to their homes.

OPENS HEADQUARTERS.

Republican Chairman Says His Advices Indicate Usual Majority in November.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—(Special.)—Republican State Chairman W. R. Andrews, with his staff of stenographers, arrived today from Washington. State headquarters on Locust street were opened by the chairman and will remain open until the meeting of the state committee the afternoon of June 21.

Chairman Andrews said his advices from all parts of the state were that the organization was in splendid shape and prepared to roll up the usual off-year majority in November. Senator Penrose this afternoon attended the "Farmers" annual dinner at the Donegal home of ex-Senator Cameron.

AUTO CAUSES ACCIDENT.

Occupants of Rig Thrown Over Embankment and Mrs. John Welthaus Is Seriously Injured.

A fast driven automobile caused a serious accident on the Evergreen road, near Millvale, yesterday evening, by frightening the horse of Councilman John Welthaus of Millvale. The rig was pushed over an embankment and the occupants thrown out, severely injuring Mrs. Welthaus. Mr. Welthaus and Miss Caroline Bauerlein were bruised and stunned.

Mrs. Welthaus was rendered unconscious by the fall and it is feared that she has been injured internally. She was still in a critical condition late last night. The automobile did not stop. The identity of the chauffeur is not known.

Greason May Yet Escape Gallows.

READING, June 15.—After having been under sentence of death for three years Samuel Greason was brought into court this afternoon to be retried for the murder of John Edwards, with his acquittal practically assured. The testimony of Mrs. Edwards, who is also under sentence of death, convicted him, and now she exonerates him. The trial was not concluded today.

BUTLER COUNTY MAY GO THIRSTY

Technicality Discovered Which Threatens to Knock Out All Saloons.

MINISTERS BACKING THE FIGHT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUTLER, PA., June 15.—A legal technicality promises to knock out every applicant for liquor license, wholesale and retail, and leave Butler county completely dry during the year.

Former District Attorney John R. Henninger, employed by the Ministerial association of Butler county, has filed special remonstrances, signed by the Rev. Archibald R. Robinson, pastor of the United Presbyterian church, of Butler, against each of the 16 applicants for wholesale license. The vital reason set forth in each case is that the application has been advertised three times in two newspapers designated in an order of court made by Judge John M. Greer in the spring of 1897, instead of twice in three newspapers designated by the clerk of courts, as is required by an act of assembly which went into effect July 30, 1897, and which applies to all applicants for every sort of liquor license.

This law seems to have been overlooked by the judges, the clerk of courts and every attorney concerned in applications for liquor licenses since the time of its passage, and the old illegal order of court has been followed by the clerks of court in publishing the notice. It is possible that Judge Galbreath will be asked to continue license court a sufficient length of time to enable publication in exact compliance with the law, but whether he will grant such a motion is a question. License court will convene next Monday.

THE REV. DR. LOCKE DIES; BODY COMING TO PITTSBURGH

NEW YORK, June 15.—The Rev. Dr. William Henry Locke, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, attended by the late President McKinley in Canton, O., died tonight at the home of his son in Brooklyn, as the result of a stroke of apoplexy suffered yesterday. The body will be taken tomorrow to Pittsburgh, where he had many relatives.

NICEWANER IS SUPPLANTED

Bigelow Places Shepherd in Charge of Shingiss Sewer Repairs.

DIRECTOR IS ANGRY

"Has Not Come Up to Scratch," He Says of the Highways Superintendent.

REMOVAL IS EXPECTED SOON

"Mr. Nicewaner has not come up to the scratch. He failed to repair the break in the Shingiss street sewer and I had to put Supt. Shepherd of the water bureau in charge."

Director Bigelow made this statement yesterday in answer to an inquiry as to the truth of the renewed reports that Supt. Nicewaner of the bureau of highways and sewers was to be removed from his office, which pays a salary of $4,000 a year. The director declared his superintendent of highways and sewers had proven himself unable to cope with serious emergencies, such as the breaking of the big six-foot sewer in Shingiss street, causing heavy damage to the property of Select Councilman Peter Hermes and other adjacent property.

Director Bigelow's statement was accepted as equivalent to a declaration that the services of the superintendent were to be soon dispensed with. Mr. Bigelow was asked who was to be appointed to succeed Mr. Nicewaner.

"Get me a good man," was his laconic reply.

Successor Is Not Chosen.

Mr. Bigelow declined to commit himself as saying he would ask or had asked for the resignation of Mr. Nicewaner, but his pointed remarks and his announcement that he had instructed Supt. A. E. Shepherd of the bureau of water supply and distribution to supplant Supt. Nicewaner in charge of the Shingiss street sewer repairs left no room for any other inference.

Mr. Nicewaner was told of Director Bigelow's statement, but he declined to say anything. Ever since Mr. Nicewaner was appointed to his present position efforts have been made by different people at different times to secure his removal, mostly for political reasons. Complaints were also made by persons that they had been gruffly treated by Supt. Nicewaner when they called at his office to transact business or to discuss appointments. These complaints came largely from councilmen. To all of these complaints Director Bigelow, however, paid no heed, not even when Mayor Hays is said to have asked for Supt. Nicewaner's removal.

Nicewaner May Be Reduced.

Rumors which Director Bigelow declined to deny were in circulation yesterday that Supt. Nicewaner's resignation had been asked for, and that he was to retire from his present position on July 1. It is stated he may be transferred to the bureau of construction to take his former position of assistant engineer at about $1,800 a year.

Director Bigelow indicates he has not decided definitely upon a man to succeed Supt. Nicewaner. A number of East End councilmen have been active in behalf of the James M. McKee, who has managed the Bigelow campaigns in the Nineteenth ward for a number of years. Mr. McKee is said to have a good paying position with a New York heating company which he is loath to give up.

Although Director Bigelow said that Supt. Nicewaner had been supplanted by Supt. Shepherd in charge of the repairs to the Shingiss street sewer, Mr. Nicewaner was on the scene all day yesterday and until late last night. Supt. Shepherd was also there several times superintending the installation of the big centrifugal pump which is expected to clear the sewer and permit the repairs to be made.

To Secure Statistics Here.

CINCINNATI, O., June 15.—(Special.)—Sixteen industrial census enumerators left here tonight to begin work in Pittsburgh tomorrow.

MAYOR PROBES CITY CONTRACTS

Leader Durham Is Found to Be Interested in Filtration Concern.

DOES NOT DENY IT

Councilman Frank Caven, Similarly Implicated, Is Held for Court After Hearing.

FRANCHISES TO BE REPEALED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU
Room 10, Postal Building,
PHILADELPHIA, June 15.

There were some surprises and much excitement at the hearing today of Councilman Frank H. Caven before Magistrate Eisenbrown at Central police station. Caven is charged with having been interested, while a member of councils, in city contracts.

Probably the most notable development was in the testimony of Daniel J. McNichol of the contracting firm of D. J. McNichol & Co. It was that since the company was organized, Israel W. Durham, Senator J. P. McNichol, Mrs. J. P. McNichol and John M. Mack had, at various periods formed the partnership. Mr. Durham and D. J. McNichol have always retained their interests. While a member of councils McNichol's interest was sold to and held in the name of his wife. When he retired from councils about a year and a half ago, Mrs. McNichol disposed of her interest to her husband, in whose name it now stands. About the time of this last transfer, John M. Mack retired from the firm.

D. J. McNichol further testified that the division of the profits was on the basis of 12. He received one-twelfth, while the remaining eleven-twelfths was equally divided between I. W. Durham and his brother, J. P. McNichol, the present members of the firm. The evidence caused a commotion. It had for some time been a subject of rumor that Durham was interested in the firm, but this was the first authoritative declaration bearing on the matter.

Caven in Secret Agreement.

Interest in this development quite overshadowed the Caven charges, although they, in themselves, were very strongly supported. Attorney A. S. L. Shields, counsel for Caven, produced an agreement entered into by Caven and his father, James, trading as James Caven & Son, on the one hand, and Nerrons & Reynolds, said dealers in New Jersey, on the other. It was an ironical contract, designed to prevent competition in bidding for furnishing sand under the McNichol filtration contracts, and providing for the sharing of profit and loss by the parties to it.

At the conclusion of the hearing Caven was held for court in the sum of $2,500.

Other features of the day were the action of the railway committee in unanimously reporting to councils, with a favorable recommendation, the traction repealers. Councils met later and ordered said repealers printed, and they will pass within the next two weeks.

This morning the traction company decided to continue the fight no longer. The company is advised by counsel it will be able to establish in court its vested rights in two of the five contracts, both being extensions of present lines, and for this reason decided to not further antagonize the mayor.

Arrests Will Be Made.

Talk of arrests continues. Rumors emanating from advisors of the mayor has it that nearly every one engaged in the filtration contracts is to be arrested tomorrow, while from the other side the mayor is threatened with prosecution. Doubtless several men of prominence will be arrested, for political effect if nothing else. There will be a return fire, and the situation will become more acute. Action of this character may come tomorrow and it may be delayed until the end of the week, but it is sure to come.

Durham and McNichol left for Atlantic City this afternoon. At Broad street station Mr. Durham made the following statement to The Gazette correspondent:

"It is true that I am a member of the firm of D. J. McNichol & Co. I never denied my connection with it. There was no reason why I should. It was a business proposition, and one in which I had a perfect right to engage. There is nothing more that I care to say."

Evidence adduced today showed no legal irregularities in regard to the partnership. While a member of councils, J. P. McNichol disposed of his interest. When he retired from councils he bought back his stock. John M. Mack was in on a business basis. He stayed until differences arose between Durham and himself, and he was forced out.

Mack Goes Over to Mayor.

It is the belief in political circles that Mack is now an asset of the Wanamaker-Weaver organization. It is claimed he is supplying the ammunition. All indications point in this direction. He is in daily, if not hourly, conference with ex-Judge Gordon, Wanamaker's counsel and political adviser. Mack's counsel, Joseph F. Auerbach of New York, today assisted Gordon in the prosecution of F. H. Caven.

It's a hot old political battle. Gordon's offices in the North American building are Weaver's field headquarters. There all plans are formulated, conferences held and Weaver interviews issued. Weaver does nothing until he sees Gordon, then he does all he is told to do. This is not a secret. It is understood by everyone.

It was 11 o'clock before the Caven hearing began. James G. Gordon, former attorney General Wayne McVeagh, Joseph Auerbach, William M. Meredith and Henry J. Renan appeared for the prosecution. Caven was defended by A. S. L. Shields. The defendant was first called.

Shields and Gordon had their first scrap. Shields wished the magistrate to produce Detective Donegly who swore out the warrant, his purpose being to connect the mayor as the one who supplied the information on which it is based. Gordon objected and was sustained. Sand contracts entered into between the Caven

CHICAGO IS ON EVE OF HER GREATEST LABOR SCANDAL

Disclosures Before Grand Jury by John C. Driscoll Are Startling and Serious and Involve Many Men Prominent in Life of City.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, June 15.—The greatest labor scandal Chicago has ever known, according to State's Attorney Healy, is to follow the disclosures made today before the grand jury by John C. Driscoll, formerly secretary of the Associated Building Trades' council and of the Coal Team Owners' association. Driscoll revealed the history of the dealings between employers and union labor leaders, particularly that branch of union labor represented by the Chicago Teamsters' union.

State's Attorney Healy said:

"More serious offenses have been committed than bribery and conspiracy, and the evidence presented to the jury has been of an extremely startling character. It will lead to surprising results. The names mentioned by the witnesses are of prominent men on both sides."

Tomorrow will witness the gathering before the grand jury of a score of prominent business men, together with leading members of the bar. Subpoenas for them have been placed tonight in the hands of detectives employed by the state's attorney.

Driscoll told today how the coal teamsters and coal team owners had made a trade agreement which provided that the owners should employ only members of the Coal Teamsters' union and that the members of the union should work for no employer not a member of the Coal Owners' association. The effect of this arrangement, the witness declared, was to force every coal wagon owner into the Coal Team Owners' association and every coal wagon driver into the Teamsters' union. The owners behind this provision increase the cartage rates of coal from 30 cents to 50 cents a ton for short hauls, and to as high as $1 a ton for long hauls.

Driscoll took before the grand jury today several check books, which, together with the canceled checks, are expected to prove many of the charges made by him against business men and labor leaders. Driscoll was agitated as he left the criminal court building late this afternoon.

It was learned tonight that one of the statements made by Driscoll to the jury was that President Shea, of the Teamsters' union, accepted $8,000 at the time of the stock yards strike last summer.

MAYOR WEAVER PROBES PHILADELPHIA CITY CONTRACTS

firm and the city were produced, read, and the defendant identified his signature attached. It was admitted by Caven that he was a member of councils at the time the signature was attached.

Competition Was Prohibited.

James Caven, father of the defendant, followed. He produced the agreement which the prosecution contends make the defendant a party to the sand contracts. It is in part:

Memorandum of agreement made this 16th day of January, 1902, between James Caven and Frank Caven, co-partners, trading as James Caven & Son, of the first part, and Samuel D. Norcross and N. Perry Edmunds, co-partners, trading as Norcross & Edmunds, of the second part.

After setting forth that the firm purposes supplying sand to D. J. McNichol and others, the agreement says:

It is further agreed between the said parties that in submitting bids and estimates to the said McNichol, or to any other party or person, for the furnishing of the said materials, no bids or estimates shall be submitted until first examined and approved by both of the parties hereto.

It is further agreed that no contract shall be entered into by either of the parties with the said McNichol, or with any other person or persons in any way or manner connected with the construction of the said filter beds, without the written consent of both of the parties hereto first had and obtained.

It is further agreed that all profits and losses incident to the execution of the said contracts shall be equally divided and borne between the said parties, share and share alike, and that such books and accounts pertaining to the said business shall be kept by the said parties as may hereafter be determined upon, it being now understood and agreed that an exact and correct statement of all matters requisite to show the financial transactions of the parties hereto pertaining to the said contracts shall be kept and that the said books and accounts shall always be open to the examination and inspection of both of the parties hereto.

The signatures are:

(Seal.) JAMES CAVEN.
(Seal.) FRANK H. CAVEN.
(Seal.) S. S. NORCROSS.
(Seal.) N. PERRY EDMUNDS.

Hill Knew of Deal.

Chief John W. Hill of the filtration bureau was the next witness. His most important disclosure was brought out by Judge Gordon.

Q.—Did you ever speak to Mr. Caven about his being interested in the supply of building material for the filtration plant?

A.—I did.

Q.—What if anything did Caven give you?

A.—He said he was simply managing his father's business, and had no capital invested in it.

Chief Hill testified that on one contract there was a bid lower than McNichols' and it was not awarded to that bidder, but instead bids were again advertised for. This time McNichol was the only bidder and he received the contract.

Attorneys for the defense inquired what difference it made whether Durham was in the firm, and Judge Gordon replied: "All the difference in the world. We will show that conspiracy existed between all these parties and that it was this conspiracy that was responsible for the awarding of contracts without any competitive bids."

It was D. J. McNichol, however, who furnished the sensation. As he took the stand Mr. Gordon asked:

Q.—Are you the person to whom these three contracts and one supplemental contract for furnishing filtering material were awarded by the city of Philadelphia?

A.—Yes, sir, with my associates in the contract.

Q.—You trade under the name of Daniel J. McNichol?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Who are your associates in that business?

A.—Up until 18 months ago it was John M. Mack, I. W. Durham and Mrs. J. P. McNichol. About 18 months ago Mr. Mack withdrew and the contract then came in with Mr. J. P. McNichol, Mr. I. W. Durham and myself.

Q.—When did Mr. I. W. Durham become a members of your firm? (Objected to).

The court—I will allow it to come in as to who constitutes the partnership.

Q.—When did Mr. Durham become a member of the firm of D. J. McNichol?

A.—At the beginning of the contracts.

Q.—At the begining of these filtration contracts?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—He was a member of the firm, then, when contract No. 24 was let to you?

A.—Yes, sir.

Mrs. McNichol a Member.

Q.—Who else then? James P. McNichol?

A.—No, sir; Mrs. James P. McNichol.

Q.—And you?

A.—And Mr. John M. Mack.

Q.—Any others?

A.—That was all.

Q.—And Mr. Israel W. Durham has continued a member down to now?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And Mrs. James P. McNichol?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—When did she leave?

A.—Mr. Mack got out about 16 months ago and then Mrs. McNichol got out also.

Q.—I asked you when Mrs. McNichol got out.

A.—About 18 months ago.

Q.—Can you give me definitely when?

A.—No, I can't, not the exact date.

Q.—Did she get out before Mr. Mack or after?

A.—Just about the same time.

Q.—The firm is now constituted of whom?

A.—Mr. J. P. McNichol, I. W. Durham and myself. I have got an interest in it.

Chasing Around the Stump.

Q.—When did Mr. J. P. McNichol come in?

A.—About 18 months ago.

Q.—When Mrs. McNichol became a member of your firm, your brother, James P. McNichol was a member of councils, wasn't he?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—When did your brother, James P. McNichol, cease to be a member of councils?

A.—I think in 1903.

Q.—And how soon after this was it that Mrs. McNichol stepped out and Senator McNichol stepped in?

A.—Eighteen months ago.

Q.—Can you tell me how soon after James P. McNichol's term as councilman expired his wife stepped out and he stepped into the contracting business?

A.—I say 15 months ago.

Q.—At that time you had all these contracts?

A.—In my name, yes.

Q.—Your firm—you, Mrs. McNichol, Mr. Durham and John M. Mack—had all these contracts, then?

A.—Yes, sir. There were only two or three contracts at that time.

Division of Profits.

Q.—What did you get out of the firm?

A.—I got one-twelfth interest.

Q.—What did Mrs. James P. McNichol get?

A.—The other eleven-twelfths were divided up.

Q.—Between whom?

A.—Between the other three.

Q.—Then Mrs. McNichol got one-third of eleven-twelfths, Israel W. Durham got one-third of eleven-twelfths, and John M. Mack got one-third of eleven-twelfths?

A.—Yes, sir.

Mr. Gordon asked the witness as to the amounts involved in certain contracts, all of which were sublet and the profits derived.

Mr. Gordon made the following summary:

"May is please your honor, plan A was done by the Cavens for $266,026.25. The city paid McNichol $316,877. For plan B, which was done by Cavens for $288,212.83, the city paid Mr. McNichol $350,562."

These were the important facts brought out. Magistrate Eisenbrown then held Caven for court.

His Resignation Accepted.

As a result of what developed at the hearing Mayor Weaver late today accepted the resignation of John W. Hill, chief engineer of the bureau of filtration; also that of his son, Henry Hill, who was assistant to his father. The resignations were sent to the mayor to take effect June 30, but they were accepted to take effect immediately. Chief Hill was the highest salaried official in the city, his compensation being $17,000 a year.

Simultaneous with the acceptance of the resignations all work on the city's filtration system was ordered stopped. The office of Chief Hill was placed in charge of Assistant Director of Public Works Hicks, and the city's offices at the filtration plants were put in charge of detectives with instructions to permit no one to remove any records or other documents.

While no official expression could be obtained as to the reasons for the resignation, it is learned from a high authority that Mayor Weaver was not satisfied with affairs connected with the construction of the filter plants. The filtration system has cost the city about $22,000,000, and it will take upwards of $5,000,000 more to complete the work. The McNichol firm has had contracts for about three-quarters of the work.

President Takes a Hand.

The United States civil service commission, backed up by President Roosevelt, is investigating one phase of the local political situation, although it is denied that its inquiry has anything to do with current events in the local political world. The commission is inquiring into the case of Clarence Meeser, deputy internal revenue collector for this district, and Mrs. Elenora Park, an employe of the United States mint.

Meeser was accused of election frauds along with Samuel Salter. He was a fugitive from justice but returned and was not convicted. Mrs. Park was a boarding house keeper and testified at Salter's trial that Salter was at her house during the time he was alleged to have committed the election frauds of which he was accused. Salter was acquitted.

Subsequently both Meeser and Mrs. Park were given employment in the federal service. Commissioners Alfred W. Cooley and Henry F. Green came here and today began an inquiry as to whether Meeser and Mrs. Park were fit to hold positions in the government service. The commissioners had with them a letter dated June 7, which read as follows:

Civil Service Commission,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen: Please use this letter as authority for making a thorough investigation of the facts in the case of Clarence Meeser and Elenora Park, and have an exhaustive report made to me thereon.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Commissioner Cooley is quoted as saying: "I should like to have it clearly understood that the president has no desire or intention to take a hand in the mix-up in Philadelphia politics, only so far as to keep the federal service free from taint."

MR. CLEVELAND NOW CHAIRMAN

He, George Westinghouse and Justice O'Brien Hold the Equitable Trust.

LETTER TO POLICY-HOLDERS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 15.—Grover Cleveland, Justice Morgan J. O'Brien of the state supreme court and George Westinghouse of Pittsburgh, trustees of the Equitable Life Assurance society stock, formerly owned by James H. Hyde, met at the Hotel Buckingham in this city today. At the afternoon session, after a conference with Elihu Root and Paul Cravath, Thomas F. Ryan was sent for and a trust agreement was executed. Mr. Cleveland was elected chairman and George F. Parker secretary.

At the conclusion of the meeting tonight the trust agreement with a letter from Mr. Ryan to the trustees and an appeal from the trustees to the policy-holders were made public. Mr. Ryan's letter announces his individual ownership of the stock, addressing the trustees, says:

Dear Sirs: In order that every possible basis for mystery may be eliminated, I am anxious that you should be fully apprised of every circumstance regarding my purchase of a majority (502 shares) of the capital stock of the Equitable Life Assurance society. I am, therefore, writing this letter to place before you the only facts regarding the transaction, which have not been made public.

Ryan the Sole Owner.

(1). I am the sole owner of the 502 shares of the stock of the Equitable society, which I purchased from Mr. Hyde, and no other person or interest has contributed or has the right to contribute a single dollar toward the purchase of the stock. The policy-holders, with whom I conferred in making the purchase, have had no connection with the management of the Equitable society, and their connection with the transaction was entirely advisory. I am under no obligation to any living man with respect to my action as owner of this stock.

(2). The amount which I paid for the 502 shares of stock purchased from Mr. Hyde is $2,500,000.

You are at liberty to make this letter public if you so desire.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. RYAN.

The appeal of Mr. Cleveland to the policy-holders is dated in advance and will be mailed to the 600,000 holders of Equitable insurance. The letter follows:

To Policy-holders in the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States:

We, the undersigned, have assumed the duties created by a trust agreement executed by Thomas F. Ryan, whereby a majority of the stock of the Equitable Life Assurance society has been placed in our hands as trustees for the purpose of voting on such stock for directors of said society.

Policy-Holders to Choose.

It is provided in the instrument transferring the stock to us that we shall vote for 7 out of the 13 directors to be chosen annually from the holders of policies of insurance in said society, and that these shall be designated by an expression of their choice on the part of the body of all policyholders, whose policies have been in force at least one year. The selection of the six remaining directors to be elected each year is left to our discretion and judgment as trustees. This plan will result in finally giving to policyholders the privilege of choosing 28 of the 52 persons who will constitute the board of directors.

It is also provided by said instrument of transfer, as a means of informing us of the choice which the policyholders may make of the directors allotted to their selection, that said policyholders shall express their wishes to us on this subject by sending to our address annually before the first day of November, at the office of the Equitable Society, 120 Broadway, New York, a written designation of the policyholders they desire to have elected as directors.

We especially request all policyholders entitled to exercise this privilege that they make their wishes known to us within the time and in the manner mentioned. In order that the plan inaugurated for their policy-holding directorship may speedily reach the numerical proportion of the entire board, which is contemplated, we have determined at an early date to recommend policyholders to be elected by the board to fill existing vacancies.

Urged to Express Preferences.

We therefore urge policyholders to at once notify us of their preferences in regard to these vacancies. The trustees hope they will receive a very general response to this invitation.

GROVER CLEVELAND, Chairman.
MORGAN J. O'BRIEN.
GEORGE WESTINGHOUSE,
Trustees.

The agreement between Mr. Ryan and the trustees practically outlined the authority of the trustees in voting the stock and gives them full control over the 502 shares they represent. The agreement recites that whereas the directors have adopted a plan for the mutualization of the society by amending the society's charter, that, of the 52 directors of the society, 28 should be elected by the policy-holders and 24 by the stockholders. Mr. Ryan agrees that the existing certificates for the 502 shares of stock shall be canceled, and certificates thereof shall be issued to the trustees according to the terms of the agreement. The document says:

Seven to Be Policyholders.

The trustees are exclusively authorized to exercise the voting power on the stock held under the agreement for the election of directors of the society and shall, at every annual election of directors of the society, so vote on said stock that out of every 13 persons for whom such vote shall be cast seven shall be policy-holders for the society selected in accordance with the wishes of the policy-holders of the society, * * * * and the remaining six directors shall be selected by the trustees in their uncontrolled discretion, to the end that of the entire 13 directors, 28 shall be policy-holders of the society, selected by or on behalf of the policy-holders, and 24 shall be lawfully eligible persons selected by the trustees in their sole discretion.

The wishes of the policy-holders in respect to the directors to be voted for by the trustees shall be expressed in the following manner: In each year, at any time prior to the first day of November, any holder of any policy which shall have been in force for one year or more may send to the trustees at the Equitable building, No. 120 Broadway, New York city, a written request designating policy-holders of the society of the number of not more than seven-thirteenths of the number of directors to be elected at the next annual election of directors, for whose election as directors such policy-holder desires the trustees to vote at such annual election, or requesting the trustees to exercise their discretion on his behalf in the selection of policy-holders to act as such directors.

Can Effect Mutualization.

Third—The trustees are authorized, in respect of said stock, to take, in their discretion, by vote thereon or otherwise, any action necessary or proper to effect the consummation of said plan for the mutualization of the society, by securing to the policy-holders the right to elect directly 28 of the 52 directors of the society or a like proportion of the entire number of directors of which the board of directors shall from time to time consist.

Fourth—In case said plan of mutualization become operative and the policyholders shall become entitled to vote directly for 28 directors of the society out of an aggregate number of 52 directors or a like proportion of any other number of which the board of directors may from time to time consist, then the trustees, in respect to the stock held under this agreement, shall continue to vote for such lawfully eligible persons to be the remaining directors as they shall, in their uncontrolled discretion, select.

The trustees are authorized to make recommendations to the directors for filling vacancies to the end that the purpose of the agreement may be promptly accomplished and the agreement states that no vote shall be cast by the trustees upon the stock, except by their unanimous approval, but the trustees may empower anyone of their number to cast their vote. It is provided that vacancies on the board of trustees made by death or resignation shall "be filled by an appointment made in writing by the remaining trustees."

The agreement then says:

The party of the first part shall be entitled to the dividends on the stock deposited by him under this agreement.

This agreement shall continue in force for the full period authorized by section 29 of the general corporation law of the state of New York, viz.: five (5) years from the date hereof. It shall be continued hereafter so long as the trustees shall deem advisable, and the party of the first part hereby agrees that upon the expiration of any period of five (5) years, he will, upon the request of the trustees, execute an instrument continuing, for a further period of five (5) years, this agreement and the powers of the trustees hereunder including said power to require an extension thereof. This agreement may, however, be terminated by the trustees in their discretion, whenever in their opinion its purposes have been accomplished or for any reason its termination is, in their opinion, advisable.

Every other stockholder of the society may transfer his stock to the trustees, to be held subject to the provisions of this agreement and thereupon may participate in the terms, conditions and privileges thereof.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have set their hands unto five originals hereof the day and year first above written.

THOMAS F. RYAN.
GROVER CLEVELAND.
MORGAN J. O'BRIEN.
GEORGE WESTINGHOUSE.

In presence of
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PAUL D. CRAVATH.

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RECEPTION TO CHOATE BY BAR ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, June 15.—Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain, was tendered a reception tonight by the New York Bar association. Elihu Root, Former President Grover Cleveland and Alton B. Parker were present.

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SLASHES THROAT WITH OLD RAZOR

Retired Allegheny Shoe Merchant Commits Suicide in His Wife's Presence.

RECORD RUN TO THE HOSPITAL

While standing in the kitchen with his wife at their home, 1103 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, about 5:30 o'clock last night, H. A. Foelker, aged 55, a retired shoe merchant, without a word of warning drew an old razor across his throat. He slashed himself from ear to ear, cutting his wind pipe and all the blood vessels of the throat, except the jugular vein. The room was in darkness and Mrs. Foelker was not aware of what her husband had done until he fell to the floor from loss of blood. Foelker died at the Allegheny General hospital at 9:20 o'clock.

As soon as Foelker's act was discovered a member of the family ran to the office of Dr. C. C. Kneedler, at Fayette and Manhattan streets. When Dr. Kneedler reached the house it was crowded with people and he had some difficulty in getting to the side of the man, who had been laid on a couch, where several neighbors were fanning him. In the center of the kitchen floor was a large pool of blood.

The physician tied up the veins to stop the bleeding, but saw the windpipe had been cut, and ordered Foelker taken to the hospital. The man remained conscious while the doctor worked with him and did everything he was told by the physician.

After the doctor made the preliminary dressing Foelker reached into his hip pocket and drew out a wallet, and motioned to the doctor to give it to Mrs. Foelker. When Foelker was placed in a patrol wagon the officers were told to hurry him to the hospital, which is over a mile from the Foelker house. The man was laid on the stretcher and the wagon made a record run. People who had heard of the suicide watched the wagon with its burden as it raced through the streets from their second-story windows, the wound in Foelker's throat visible as the wagon passed under the electric lights. Dr. Kneedler said Foelker missed cutting the jugular vein by the slightest margin. The hospital physician said the man died from loss of blood.

Foelker for over 25 years conducted a shoe store at his home. About two months ago he sold his stock and had a brick dwelling frnt put in his house. To a friend several days ago he expressed himself as well satisfied with his success in business and stated he had made enough money to live a quiet and retired life in his declining years.

No reason is known for Foelker's taking his life, aside from his appearing slightly unbalanced mentally at times since spring, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis. He is survived by his widow, three married daughters and a son, George Foelker, who lives in New Castle, Pa.

Anselmo Bandria, aged 3, died yesterday from being scalded Tuesday by falling over a kettle of hot water, which was on the kitchen floor. His mother had been cleaning and took the water off the stove. The boy, while running through the kitchen, stumbled over the kettle.

William H. Graham, aged nine, son of Robert Graham, of 1122 Market street, Allegheny, was killed by being run over by a street car yesterday afternoon at Beaver avenue and Brady street, Allegheny. He was pinned under the wheels and the car had to be jacked up to remove him. He died while being removed to his home. The boy had just been dismissed from the convent school at Beaver avenue and Brady street.

E. J. Wilt, aged 31, yesterday died at the Mercy hospital from injuries received Wednesday night by being crushed between two steel cars, while at work in the yards of the Edgar Thomson steel works. He was a brakeman.

TO MEET IN WASHINGTON

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the utmost deliberation, for the game of diplomacy now being played is of greater importance to each government than the movements of the armies on the battlefield. It will require at least a month for the negotiators of the two governments with their respective staffs to come together, the distance from Japan, particularly, being so great that a shorter time scarcely could be allowed. It seems quite likely, therefore, that the conference will not assemble formally before the middle of August or the first of September.

Japan has indicated that she will select two plenipotentiaries and will be ready to name a third if that number is preferred. Although the president has been advised that Marquis Ito and Baron Komura and Marshal Yamagata are the three distinguished personages under consideration, the official nominations have not yet been communicated to him.

It is not expected the selection of Washington will interfere materially with the summer plans of the president. He will probably return to Washington from Oyster Bay to receive the plenipotentiaries of the two governments when they assemble for the conference.

Officially, this government will have little to do with the negotiations between the representatives of the two powers. The United States will provide a place for their meeting and furnish them with such material facilities as may be necessary for their comfort and convenience, but their deliberations will be quite uninfluenced by this government. After receiving the plenipotentiaries formally, it is probable the president will return to Oyster Bay.

It is regarded as certain that two of Russia's representatives will be Baron Rosen, who has been appointed to succeed Count Cassini as ambassador at Washington, and M. Nelidoff, ambassador at Paris. The name of M. Witte, president of the committee of ministers, continues to be mentioned, but there is no evidence that the emperor will give him a brief to conduct negotiations.

Baltimore Fire Hero Dies.

BALTIMORE, June 15.—(Special.)—Roy E. Rafferty, one of the heroes of the Baltimore fire who spent two days among the toppling ruins dynamiting buildings in an effort to stay the flames, died here today at the Johns Hopkins hospital of a tumor of the brain, caused by the concussions of the explosions he ignited.

ALEXIS AND AVELLAN HAND IN RESIGNATIONS

Uncle of Czar and Head of Russian Admiralty Probably Sacrifices to Public Anger.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 15.—The sensational announcement was made shortly before midnight that Grand Duke Alexis, the high admiral, who is an uncle of the emperor, and Admiral Avellon, head of the Russian admiralty department, had resigned. This announcement was followed a few minutes later by an imperial rescript relieving the grand duke of the supreme direction of the navy, which he had held since the days of the emperor's father, Alexander III.

The words of the rescript have no hint of imperial anger, and the real explanation probably will not come for several days, but the instant disposition was to regard the retirement of Grand Duke Alexis and Admiral Avellan as a concession to public opinion, following the crowning tragedy of the sea of Japan.

Grand Duke Alexis himself did not escape personal attacks, and scandal was so busy with his name that he was several times the subject of public demonstrations. His name was high on the list of those condemned by the Terrorists, and after "red Sunday" (January 22 last) it was reported that he had fled abroad, but it developed that he was merely keeping closely within his palace. Recently he has shown himself more frequently, usually in a closed carriage. The emperor has accepted the resignation of Grand Duke Alexis in the following rescript:

His imperial majesty, my father, highly esteeming your experience in naval service and your personal and moral qualities, selected you in 1881 as his immediate collaborator in the work of renovating and strengthening our fleet. Since then, for 24 years, your imperial highness has devoted your labors to the development of our naval armed forces and to the training of the personnel of the fleet in proportion to the resources it was possible to accord you for that purpose.

Now, yielding to your reiterated request, I have consented to relieve you of the administration of the fleet and marine department. In accepting the resignation of your imperial highness, I direct you to retain the rank of grand admiral as an expression of my gratitude for all your work. I remain as ever, your constant well wisher, with every expression of my love.

NICHOLAS.

PEACE MEANS PROGRESS.

H. Sellers McKee Will Leave for Russia Next Week to Take Up Street Railway Plans.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—H. Sellers McKee, head of the American syndicate formed to obtain street railway franchises in St. Petersburg, will leave next week on the Baltic to look over the field. The deal was practicaly abandoned several months ago because of the war, but now that there is a possibility of early peace it is expected that negotiations will be resumed.

If the deal goes through it will involve construction expenditures of something like $50,000,000. American capital will be used entirely in constructing the system.

PRIVATE OWNERSHIP BEST.

Dalrymple Thinks Municipal Operation of Public Utilities Would Fail in America.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—After a study of the situation here, I am forced to conclude that private ownership under proper conditions is better for American cities," was the declaration made today by James Dalrymple of Glasgow, Scotland, head of Glasgow's municipal street railway system.

He has just returned from a tour of the cities east of the Mississippi river. He left New York for Montreal tonight and from there will return to Scotland.

Alumni Honor Pittsburgher.

EMMITTSBURG, MD., June 15.—At the ninety-seventh commencement of Mount St. Mary's college began today. Cardinal Gibbons presided. A. V. D. Watterson, of Pittsburgh, was selected president of the alumni association.

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Arrived, June 15.

New York—Deutschland from Hamburg, Patricia from Hamburg, Baltic from Liverpool, Liverpool (June 14)—Merion from Philadelphia, Ivernia from Boston (June 13).

London (June 14)—Oxonian from Philadelphia for Antwerp.

Plymouth—Montreal from Quebec, via Liverpool.

Genoa—Prinz Adalbert from New York via Naples.

Palermo (June 11)—Sicilian Prince from New York via Naples.

Hamburg (June 12)—Astoria from Philadelphia.

Havre—La Touraine, from New York.

Sailed, June 15.

New York—Moltke for Hamburg, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; Friedrich der Grosse for Bremen, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; La Savoie for Havre; Cretic for Azores, Naples and Genoa; Neapolitan Prince for Naples.

Brisbane (June 14)—Miowera, from Sydney, N. S. W., for Vancouver.

Glasgow (June 14)—Buenos Ayreen for Boston.

Queenstown—Teutonic from Liverpool for New York.

Liverpool—Canada, for Montreal; Tunisian, for Quebec and Montreal, via Moville.

Queenstown—Westernland, from Liverpool, for Philadelphia.

Passed, June 15.

Lizard—La Touraine from New York for Havre.

Fravie Point—Armenia from New York for Hamburg.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Carleton opera company, in "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"James Boys in Missouri," 8 p. m.

EXPOSITION BASEBALL PARK—National league championship series—Pittsburgh vs. Philadelphia, 3:30 p. m.

LUNA PARK—Grant boulevard and Craig street. Concerts by the Red Cockades band, afternoon and evening; the "Globe of Death" and other attractions.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Speedy, the high diver, and Rogerito's concert band, afternoon and evening.

OAKWOOD PARK—Bryant & Saville's minstrels.

SOUTHERN PARK—Vaudeville bill, headed by Charles Lawler and daughters.

CARNEGIE ART GALLERIES—Permanent exhibition and special loan exhibit, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

$2.50 to Conneaut Lake and Return Every Saturday Via Baltimore & Ohio-Bessemer Lines.

Tickets on sale for regular trains leaving Allegheny 8:15 a. m. or special train leaving Allegheny 2 p. m., good returning on special train leaving Conneaut Lake 7 p. m. Sunday or regular trains Monday.

WILSON IS AGAIN FOUND GUILTY

Jury Says Resigned Police Captain Sold Graft Privileges in Allegheny.

MAY NOT TRY OTHER CASES

Capt. James Wilson of the Allegheny police department, has for the second time been convicted of extortion. As in the first case in which Wilson was found guilty, the jury added a recommendation of mercy, leaving the word "extreme" out. The verdict had been sealed the night before and was opened by Judges Kennedy and Evans. Neither Attorneys Haymaker, Marron or Ferguson were in court, and Attorney Brennen came in just before the verdict was read to the jury.

The verdict was generally expected. Both Attorneys Marron and Haymaker expressed much satisfaction, and shortly after the Wilson jury was dismissed they took seats on the opposite side of the counsel table as opponents in another case. Attrney Brennen refused to comment on the verdict other than to state a new trial would be asked for. Wilson was not in the court room and the result of the verdict was telephoned to him. It was decided to place no more graft cases on the trial list for this month, although it had previously been agreed upon to try the case against Patrolman Oscar Stemmler yesterday.

Chief County Detective R. G. Robinson made the charge upon which Wilson was found guilty as indicted. He charged Wilson with receiving $50 from Frances Foley to permit her to open and maintain a disorderly house. If new trials are not obtained, the convictions mean that the fights will be carried to the superior court. Mr. Ferguson has raised an interesting question as to what is meant by extortion. He declared in his argument that the commonwealth, to prove extortion, must show that there had been actual duress or coercion to force these women to pay the money which they claim was expended for police protection. The court ruled that this question was largely one of fact, and that it was for the jury to determine. He illustrated his ruling with the statement that if an officer wished to get money from a prisoner to permit him to escape it was not necessary for him to say so in so many words.

Attorney Marron stated that they were satisfied with the two verdicts against Wilson. "We may try all the cases against Wilson," said he, "it all depends upon circumstances. This has been a three-round fight. We have won two rounds now. Wilson dared us to convict him and we did it. If he dares us again, of course we will have to insist upon more trials, but the district attorney has other cases to dispose of and we cannot take all his time."

"We will now devote some of our time to Mr. Wallace, the deposed superintendent of police, and I will warrant that if the charges made against him are true, he will wish he had kept his hand off something that is not supposed to interest him. However, these things are for the future. We will get busy trying to show the mayor and director that Wallace is not fit to be at the head of a police department."

The graft prosecutors say the convictions will result in other disclosures against persons higher up than those who have been looked upon as middlemen in the collection of graft, showing where the money really went and how it was finally divided. Reports have reached the district attorney's office that there are to be no scapegoats, and that the lid really will come off before long.

John Regan, a witness in the graft cases who had been indicted by the grand jury in Beaver county for larceny by bailee and false pretense was to have been tried yesterday, but forfeited his recognizance. J. S. Crow of Pittsburgh was his bondsman. District Attorney J. R. McClure asked the court to issue a process to bring Regan into court at once, which was done.

MR. GOULD MUST PAY.

Architect Wins His Claim Against Him for Making Plans for Castle Gould.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—Abner J. Haydel, the architect, was given a verdict for $24,182.75 against Howard Gould.

The verdict contained the information that it was reached by giving Haydel one per cent of the original cost of the construction of the castle, which had been agreed he should receive when he submitted plans for the work, and 1½ per cent when his plans were completed and accepted. The jury said they were satisfied he had done his part of the work, and he should be paid for it. They said they agreed to allow $29,182.75, but from this they deducted the $5,000 he had received from the Goulds on account, thus making their verdict $24,183.75.

BOARD OF TRADE WANTS BRIDGE AND MORE CARS

The North Side board of trade yesterday discussed the proposed bridge across the Ohio river again. Lee C. Beatty, F. P. Kohen, Otto F. Mayer, William V. Taylor and ePter Stumpf were appointed a committee to obtain data and arrange for a public meeting. R. K. Cochran, W. H. Richey and T. W. Harvey were appointed a committee to wait on President J. D. Callery of the Pittsburgh Railways Company. The board wants better service through lower Allegheny and especially more cars.

In Interest of Juvenile Court.

A mass meeting of the church people of Wilkinsburg was held last night in the cause of juvenile court work under the auspices of the Wilkinsburg Woman's club. Mrs. Grace B. Montgomery, head probation officer of juvenile court, told of personal experience among little unfortunates, and deplored that her salary had to be paid by charity while she was an appointed officer of the court. She urged the meeting to lend its influence and aid in bringing about a systematic and independent means of saving unfortunate children from crime.

Throws Woman Into River.

August Michaels, who lives in a shanty boat on the north side of the Allegheny river just above the Union bridge, threw Annie Miller, who claims to be his wife, into the river last night after beating her with beer bottles. He fell in the river, too, and both were rescued by the police and arrested for disorderly conduct.

Gen. Miller Denies Resignations.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—Gen. Charles Miller, president of the American Steel Foundries Company, says that the rumor that some of the officers and directors have resigned is absolutely untrue.

Populists Scarce in Nebraska.

LINCOLN, NEB., June 15.—A Populist convention to nominate a candidate for congress in the First Nebraska district was called to meet in this city today, but when the hour for the convention came not a delegate could be found. The Democrats held their district convention this afternoon.

Hold Quarterly Meeting.

The quarterly meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the Pittsburgh association was held yesterday in the Sewickley Baptist church at Sewickley. There were about 40 delegates present. Two sessions were held, morning and afternoon.

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Tickets on sale June 18, 19, 20 and good on all trains, including the "Buffalo Limited" due to leave Lake Erie station, Pittsburgh, 10 a. m., city time, due in Buffalo 4 p. m., Niagara Falls 5:30 p. m.; return limit June 24, an extension to July 14 on payment of $1.00.

The matter of settlement of estates is one that each of us is called upon at some time to meet. Whether it be one of administration or guardianship, or other form of trust, this company is fully prepared to render efficient service in such matters. Our large capital and long years of experience are assurances of security and satisfaction. We invite correspondence, the Safe Deposit & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street.

S. C. WILKINSON IS INDICTED

Turtle Creek Miner, Charged With Embracery, May Be Tried on Monday.

GAZETTE STORY CAUSES TALK

S. C. Wilkinson, the Turtle Creek miner, charged by County Detective R. G. Robinson with embracery in attempting to influence the judgment of James Haywood, a member of the jury which tried Police Captain James Wilson for extortion, was indicted by the grand jury yesterday, and will probably be placed on trial Monday.

Wilkinson is charged with asking Haywood to find a verdict for Wilson, but to place the costs on him. Two other members of the same panel were dismissed from further jury service. Wilkinson is to be defended by Attorney Rody P. Marshall, and Attorneys Marron and Haymaker will look after the commonwealth's side of the case.

"We are going after this jury-fixing game strong," said Mr. Haymaker yesterday. "It is my opinion that if we can get at the bottom of this we will do more for the commonwealth and the individuals than we can do in the graft investigations. I am now speaking generally of the game that many lawyers say is being constantly played about the court house, and no matter who it hits, we will get to the root of it, and that soon."

The exclusive story in The Gazette exposing the game of jury-fixing, and pointing out many of those whose reputations as jury-fixers are well known, stirred up considerable commotion about the court house, where the game has been practiced for years without interference on the part of anyone. It was widely read and discussed, and lawyer after lawyer now comes forward to tell what he knows of the business and how it is done.

One lawyer, David L. Starr, does not hesitate to say that it is a common thing for attorneys to be approached right in the court room and asked if they don't want something done; that this or that man "is my friend, and I feel if you can drag that case over noon, I can fix it for you."

"In one case in particular," said Mr. Starr, "an alleged jury-fixer approached me while I was trying a civil case and stated that he had two or three friends on the jury. I only laughed at him."

"To be approached by these so-called jury-fixers who loaf about the court house is an ordinary thing," said Mr. Starr. "Since the story in The Gazette many similar occurrances, which I understand happened about the court house, are recalled to my mind. I determined after this incident to get a good hold on him and then report the entire affair to the court.

District Attorny Stewart said that as long as he was in office he intended to devote a portion of the time of the county detectives to locating and getting cases against jury-fixers. He said the practice had to be stopped in the criminal courts as well as the civil courts, and is now using several of the county detectives to secure some additional information concerning four men who are suspected of approaching jurors in criminal court cases. As soon as the net is complete he intends to have County Detective Robinson enter informations and will carry the cases through with all the power and force of his office.

PLUNGES KNIFE INTO HIS WIFE WHEN ARRESTED

Italian Makes Murderous Assault Before Constable With a Warrant—Woman May Die.

Frank Ricciili plunged a stiileto into his wife's side, producing a wound that will probably be fatal, when a constable arrested him last night at Clairton, on charges preferred by his wife's brother. The knife made a wound in the woman's right side between the ribs, three inches deep and five inches long. She was removd to the McKeesport hospital and is expected to die.

On Wednesday Mrs. Ricciili's brother called at the house and the wife told him a story of her husband's cruelty. She said he had taken their baby and hid it from her, had beaten her and, she feared, would kill her. The brother went before Justice Bradford and made information against his brother-in-law. Constable Edward Kenealy went to the Ricciili house to serve the warrant. The husband and wife were together.

Ricciili asked who had made the information against him, and when told it was his wife's brother he pulled a stiileto from his pocket and used it on his wife. The constable floored him with a hand billy and brought him at once into Pittsburgh to the county jail, fearing that he might be lynched.

AWAITS HARMON'S REPLY.

Attorney-General Moody Will Then Make Statement as to Their Differences.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Attorney General Moody today gave out the following statement regarding the retirement of Messrs. Harmon and Judson from further employment in the matter of the rebates found by the interstate commerce commission to have been given by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway to the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co.

"I wrote Mr. Harmon some days ago suggesting that if a statement of the differences betwen he, Mr. Judson and I should be made, it ought to be one upon which we agreed. I received a telegram from Mr. Harmon, saying that he was now answering my letter. Before making any further statement, I shall await Mr. Harmon's answer."

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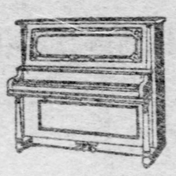

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COMMITTEE TO ACT ON BOND BILLS TODAY

Hays Says Park Scheme Will Be Killed. Bigelow Will Publish Few Hump Waivers.

The finance committee of councils is called to meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon to consider the hump and park bond ordinances. Mayor Hays said yesterday that the park bill would die in the committee. Director Bigelow said the hump ordinance would be returned to councils with an affirmative recommendation, but he said it was up to the committee to decide what should be done with the park scheme. The director is not very certain about the wisdom of coupling the park and hump projects and expressed a willingness to yield to the judgment of Mayor Hays. A meeting of common council will be called today for next Monday night to act on the report of the finance committee.

Director Bigelow was asked yesterday if he would make public the names of the property owners who have signed damage waivers at the meeting of the finance committee today, and he replied: "I will tell who some of the signers are."

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We have made prices especially low as an inducement to those who call Saturday.

Remember our store is open every Saturday evening for the accommodation of all who cannot conveniently shop during the day.

Easy terms of payment if desired.

Mathushek Upright, mahogany; was $375; now	$165
Kayton Upright, mahogany; was $325; now	185
Hardman Upright, mahogany; was $450; now	195
Cambridge Upright, mahogany; was $350; now	205
Rudolf Upright, mahogany; was $350; now	215
Cameron Upright, mahogany; was $375; now	235
Chauncey Upright, mahogany; was $350; now	225
Capen Upright, mahogany; was $350; now	200
Krell Upright, mahogany; was $400; now	235
Haller Upright, mahogany; was $400; now	235
Ludwig Upright, mahogany; was $450; now	245

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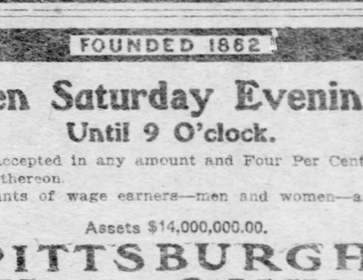

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It gives us pleasure to have variety in anything, it gives us the keenest pleasure to have plenty of serge suits from which men can select to their satisfaction. Prices begin at $10.00 and run by easy steps up to $28.00.

Of all the serge suits we have the one that we charge $25.00 for comes up to our ideal of a suit. A custom tailor would get $45.00 or $50.00 for it and then think that he wasn't getting enough. It is a sightly suit, by all odds the most sightly that we have seen in many a long day. The blue is perfectly impervious to the ravages of the sun—it is a true blue. The suits are half lined with fine silk.

If you are not favorable to a serge suit, then you can have recourse to our very great variety of Summer suits of all the different materials and in every late Summer style—prices from $10.00 up to $35.00.

We also have quite a number of suits from lines that have been sold down to where there are two or three left, and we have grouped these for quick selling. A suit from each line represents a saving of $5.00.

$18.50 Summer Suits for the Low Price of $13.50
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Men's Balbriggan Undergarments, 35c Each.

Or, Say, Three Garments for $1.00.

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Men's Half Hose From Germany Underpriced.

We took them from the Custom House this week, and they are as fine a lot as we ever brought over from the Fatherland. New lisles and new cottons, in black, tan, cadet, navy, wine, white, brown. All embroidered in contrasting colors. There are figures and stripes.

We had them made especially to our order, and the same qualities, if we purchased from an importer, would have to sell for 75c retail.

As we do our own importing we can sell them for 50c a pair, $2.75 for a half dozen pairs.

Some New Books.

You will doubtless need some new books to read while away at the shore or in the mountains. Now is a good time to visit the Book Store and make your selection in a leisurely manner. If you put off the matter until the eleventh hour it is likely you will pick up the first things your hand comes to.

You will find a very complete assortment here, not only of fiction, but also poetry, essays, etc. Everything from the cheap paper bound novel to the newest publications. Nor would it be a bad idea in passing through the book store to look over our special tables of fictions at

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A Knot of Blue—by Wm. R. A. Wilson, author of "The Rose of Normandy." Published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
The Breath of the Gods—by Sidney McCall, author of "Truth Dexter." Published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
Roland of Altenburg—by Edward Mott Woolsey. Published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
The Master Mummer—by E. Phillips Oppenheim, author of "Anna, the Adventuress." Published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
The Yellow War—a series of sketches bringing out the personal side of the Russo-Japanese war, $1.20.
The Return of Sherlock Holmes—by A. Conan Doyle, Published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
Sandy—by Alice Hegan Rice, author of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." Published at $1.00, our price 72c.
Lady Noggs, Peeress—by Edgar Jepson, author of "The Admirable Tinker." Published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
In the Arena—by Booth Tarkington—published at $1.50, our price $1.08.
Thee Weeks in Europe—by John U. Higginbotham—a practical book for those who contemplate a short trip abroad, $1.50.
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Boys' Reefers, 150 of them, blue serge, blue cheviot, tan covert, light homespuns, sizes 3 to 12 years. $6.50, $7.00 and $7.50 values for the special price of $5.00 each.

Wash Suits in Russian and Sailor style, bloomer trousers and good fitting blouses, $1.50 and $1.75—other styles up to $6.50.

Wash Suits of white materials, Sailor and Russian styles, bloomer trousers, sizes 2½ to 10 years, $1.50 to $6.50.

Special Sale of Athletic Stockings.

The Athletic Department of East Basement offers today and tomorrow stockings for all sorts of games for prices that are down several points from former low prices. For instance:

35c Stockings for 20c a pair.
50c Stockings for 30c a pair.
75c Stockings for 50c a pair.
$1.00 Stockings for 65c a pair.

In this same department we have a large variety of Tennis and Outing Shoes, complete range of sizes and prices, ranging from 45c a pair up to $3.00.

Amusement for Tots.

In the Toy Department today (do you know this department is open the year round?) will be on sale a lot of Hobby Horses, Wagons, Toy Refrigerators, etc., and for your choice you will be asked to pay only half what is marked on the article.

Something that pleases all children is a lawn mower—a lawn mower for 25c. It is a make-believe mower, a midget affair, worked just like a really mower, and does everything a mower does—except cut. The blades are dull. Lots of fun for a quarter.

Women's Belts and Hand Bags.

We have quite a lot of leather belts and silk belts, different colors on edges—gilt buckles—$3.00 and $4.00 goods which we will sell today for $2.00 each.

Colored Silk Girdles, those that have sold at $2.00 and $3.00 will be sold for $1.00 each.

Newest midsummer ideas in Handbags—new shapes, new colors in leather, $1.00 a bag and up to $8.00.

Colored Batiste, a Lining Material, 12½c Yard.

This is not only a lining fabric, but it is sold at the Lining Counter, and it is sold for interlinings.

We have 1,000 yards of this colored batiste, 40 inches wide, all colors and black, and can choose from it today for 12½c a yard.

New Dress Linens, Novelty Colors.

Our price is 38c a yard, the values of the linens are 65c and 75c.

We have often made special offers in dress linens, but we never had anything quite so attractive as these imported novelty dress linens which we will quote today at about half of original prices.

About 2,500 yards and about every color combination.

Women's Cuff and Collar Sets, 25c Set.

We Have Sold the Same Sets This Season for $2.00 and $3.00.

Now there is such a wide discrepancy between the worth of these sets and our price of two bits that an explanation is due. It is simply this: these are collar and cuff sets of Hardanger embroidery, and between us, Hardanger embroidery is not as fashionable as formerly. The worth of the goods still remains, but the price is sadly at variance with that worth.

An importer came along this week and offered us a lot of these sets for a price that enables us to say for them, at retail, 25c a set. Ready this morning on special table, Fifth street center aisle.

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Friday, June 16, 1905.

Another increase in the number of clerks allowed the Pittsburgh postoffice affords proof of the city's continued growth in population and business. There is no more reliable indication of the condition of a town or city than its postal business in the aggregate. The growth in this city during the past 20 years has been enormous and steady.

Mr. Dalrymple's opinion might have been humiliating enough to Mayor Dunne and his followers, but Judge Peter S. Grosscup adds to it by reminding them that Dalrymple was instructed in the management of street railways by Americans now living in this country. This fact is no reflection on Mr. Dalrymple. In truth his judgment in the Chicago case is proof that he has profited fully by his training.

Director Bigelow's wrath has found an object in Supt. Nicewaner, of the bureau of highways and sewers, and he has been saying some tart things about him. It will be well, however, to await the success of Supt. Shepard's efforts on the Shingiss street sewer before passing final judgment. The break is a bad one and may not be easily repaired under the most efficient direction. That remains to be seen.

Toosy is set for the opening of the settlement house in Soho. This institution is located in a field that should yield the best of returns. It starts, fortunately, in its own home and with the gratuitous services of ladies deeply interested in the movement. Naturally it will appeal strongly to the benevolent and it should be assisted. The plan of work is similar to that of Kingsley House and in time it may attain as wide a scope.

Police Captain Wilson of Allegheny was again found guilty by the verdict read in criminal court yesterday morning, with a recommendation to the mercy of the court. This case will probably be appealed to the higher courts, but the appeal will not act as a supersedeas in the court of public opinion. Meantime the conviction should warn police officers in general and aid them to resist the temptations that come in their way.

This has been a spring of storms of unusual violence, east and west. That which fell upon the Shenango valley last evening did a vast amount of damage to growing crops. Yet our weather may well be preferred to that of Germany. There the season has been abnormally cold throughout, quite a heavy snow falling in Silesia this week. There is a disposition among scientists to charge the deficiency in temperature to the sun spots, though the theory does not seem to account for the irregular distribution of high and low temperatures over the earth's surface.

Preparations are going forward for the annual encampments of the National Guard. This year each brigade will have its separate camp, the Second being assigned to Erie. Last year the entire guard camped at Gettysburg and the year before at Somerset. It was said the advantage of division encampments was so great, the system would be adhered to. It has, therefore, been a surprise that brigade camps have been decided on, though the change may be in part explained by the failure to secure a permanent camping ground. In any event the encampments afford opportunity to show how truly the citizen soldiery is appreciated.

The Pittsburgh Live Stock Journal publishes a somewhat alarmist article upon the necessity of making terms with Germany by means of a reciprocity treaty. It argues that "if farmers and stockmen are not given an outlet for surplus products" the resulting depression will react upon our manufacturing industries, and general business stagnation will be the ultimate result. The situation is certainly serious and will have to be dealt with by congress, but it is hardly as bad as that. Germany took from us in 1904 goods to the value of $214,780,992, of which 82 per cent was raw material needed by Germany for her manufacturing industries. We took from her goods to the value of $109,129,047, almost wholly manufactured goods. Germany is not likely to insist upon a tariff battle, which would risk the loss of such a market for her manufactures, while at the same time she needs the raw material she gets from us and must get it from some quarter.

More Steel Wanted.

An order for steel cross ties for 10 miles of the Bessemer railroad puts the matter beyond the experimental stage. The Bessemer road has been testing the new device in practice for some months and the order of yesterday is the result. The ties are entirely satisfactory. They will cost twice as much as white oak and are expected to last seven times as long.

Experiments with iron and steel cross ties have been carried on for many years. This Pittsburgh product is the first unqualified success. It is worthy of note that a Pittsburgh railroad is first to use it in quantity. The problem of supplying wood cross ties has yearly grown more serious. The cost has become great and the drain upon the forests alarming. The successful steel tie furnishes the solution for railroads and foresters. The remaining feature is that another huge demand will be created for Pittsburgh rolled steel. It will not quite equal the market for steel rails, but will ultimately call for increased furnace capacity. It is an important development.

Laurier's Victory.

Premier Laurier has won a victory in bye elections which is sufficiently decisive to make it smooth sailing for him in carrying through his measures. An issue which stirred up heated feeling all through Canada was raised by the clauses of the bill for the admission of two new provinces from the Northwest which required them to divide the school funds in the interest of the Roman Catholic minority. The agitation against these clauses was particularly fierce in Ontario, and elections to fill parliamentary vacancies in two constituencies in that province furnished an opportunity eagerly seized by the opposition to submit the issue to the people.

The election took place on Tuesday and in both constituencies the government candidates were returned. In one a Liberal majority of 1,502 last fall was trimmed down to 349; in the other the majority was increased from 24 to 329. In both constituencies the total vote was increased over that of last fall, so that the government may claim the result as the deliberate judgment of the people in favor of its policy. The Toronto World, which has been an energetic opponent of the government on the school fund issue, admits that "it is useless to minimize the significance of the vote," and that it is "the Laurier government's warrant for proceeding with the autonomy bill."

This decision clears away the only serious snag which Premier Laurier has run against since he was returned to power by a sweeping majority last fall, and the remaining business of the session will now go through with a rush, as parliament is to be prorogued about the first of the coming month. It is interesting, as showing how great the difference between the Canadian system and our own, that the parliament elected in the general election held about a week before our own, has since held a session in the course of which public sentiment was tested through bye-elections, while our house of representatives elected before the Canadian parliament has yet to meet.

Decreased Coke Output.

A marked decrease in the production of coke is reported from the Connellsville field again this week. This reduction does not indicate any "slump" in business or in the prospects of business for the fall or winter. It is simply a manifestation of the approach of midsummer. Furnaces must be repaired periodically and the summer season is chosen as most convenient and appropriate for the shutdown.

This season is not the most convenient for the coke manufacturer to bank his ovens, though the workers welcome the vacation during the warm weather. The manufacturer accommodates himself to the needs of his trade. The most convenient season for his shut-down would be during the dry months in autumn, when he sometimes finds it difficult to get water for his works.

By way of proof that no diminution of orders threatens the iron and steel manufacturer, there is the announcement of advances in wages to take effect July 1. Wages never advance except when manufacturers are prosperous and pleased with the outlook.

Lock Up the Rogues.

Since embracery has been brought to the attention of the public by sensational charges and one prosecution, attorneys are discussing the subject quite freely. Two or three have been quoted in the public prints to the effect that "jury fixers" have been so bold as to practically offer their services to attorneys who had cases pending. This indicates an atmosphere of moral turpitude almost incredible. Were the state of affairs not vouched for by unimpeachable authority the public would hesitate to believe.

Embracery is a statutory crime in this state punishable by severe penalties. It could hardly become as common a practice as it is alleged to have been in Allegheny county without the encouragement of attorneys at the bar. We are not willing to believe that any considerable number of lawyers in this county would violate their oath to uphold the laws and violate the laws themselves by trafficking with criminals in this manner. Yet it is improbable that as many as 30 "jury fixers" could find employment in their nefarious calling without having relations with some attorneys.

Now the probe is being used to uncover and abate this criminal practice, it should, if possible, go deep enough to find the principals for whom the embracery agents acted. If it be true that as many as 30 men made a business of trying to influence jurors, it is highly probable that at least 40 cells ought to be occupied by these men and the men who employed them. No fouler scandal has ever been broached against Allegheny county, and every good citizen is desirous that cause for it shall not be permitted longer to exist.

A Hopeful Sign.

Washington having been selected as the place for Japanese and Russian plenipotentiaries to meet there is no bar to negotiations proceeding if the warring powers are sincere. The selection of the American capital as the place of meeting is, in a way, a guarantee of good faith. It was from Washington the suggestion was made, and both nations, apparently, desire to further avail themseives of President Roosevelt's good offices. They may be of great value in untying the diplomatic knots that may be found.

America must consider the choice of Washington as the treaty point as much a compliment as the attention given the president's suggestion that peace should be striven for. Russia thereby expresses its confidence in the honesty of purpose of the great republic and its wish to restore fully the cordial relations long existing between Russia and the United States. Japan in preferring Washington probably has in mind the generous terms accorded by this county to Spain in 1898, and its magnanimous treatment of China a year later. In America it can find precedent for giving its defeated rival such terms for permanent peace that it cannot reject. At any rate it is a hopeful sign.

The Practical Argument.

Mr. Roosevelt and other thinkers who inveigh against "race suicide" have confined themselves largely to the altruistic and patriotic appeal. Had they advanced such practical arguments as the news columns of the daily press have just furnished, their words might have carried more weight in stimulating our infant industries. What potent logic there is in the experience of Mrs. Donehoo, who, face to face with a hydra-headed corporation which had dug six post-holes on her premises, proposing to fill them with telegraph poles, placed her six children in the excavations and got another child to play the garden hose on the invaders. Suppose Mrs. Donehoo had had only three children, or perhaps none at all. The telephone company would have had an easy triumph. Large families as a bulwark against the encroachments of monopolistic greed should be an effective slogan in this day of anti-trust sentiment and action.

Equally forcible is the argument provided by Burgess Purcell of Braddock, who remitted the fine of a man found asleep in the street, on hearing that the man had 13 children. Whether Mr. Purcell appreciates his privilege or deprecates the condition rendering it operative is not known, but at any rate the principle is sound and commendable. If the borough would provide park benches for parents who find home too crowded, the beneficient influence of this principle would be still further felt. Provision should be made, however, against the possibility that fathers of small families might also avail themselves of this privilege.

We cannot, under a republican government of pacific proclivities, resort to such incentives as the great Frederick and the great Napoleon used to provide recruiting material for their armies, but we can spread the knowledge of the practical advantages of large families, and so stem the tendency which philosophers have deplored and reformers are combating.

When the heat begins to heat'en
And the black heart cherries sweet'en
Then we know that summer's coming right along.
When the melon vine is bloom'in,
And the bull frog's throat is boom'in,
It is time to josh the ice man, good and strong.

Of course, if Philadelphia is willing to keep this razzle-dazzle going during the hot spell it is her own affair, but the rest of the country will absolutely refuse to run the risk of prostration by trying to keep up with it.

The man out west who wants to get a divorce on the ground that he was in a trance when the ceremony was performed doesn't state how soon thereafter and by what means he was induced to wake up and notice things.

From the number of tips that are flying around concerning the Greater Pittsburgh decision it would seem that every custodian of the real facts must have a sieve attachment to his mental machinery.

James Dalrymple, the Scotch expert on municipal ownership, is to sail shortly for his home. Mr. Dalrymple admits the Chicago situation has made him "so nervis."

The architect who won a damage suit against Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gould has evidently heard somewhere about being the architect of his own fortune.

Senator Dick of Ohio may be exceedingly strenuous on his native heath, but as a temporary resident of Pittsburgh he is leading the simple life.

Perhaps the carryings on in the Equitable Company inspired that recent order in the New York schools to return to corporeal punishment.

Miss Ellen Stone is going back to her missionary labors in Macedonia. And yet there are people who say experience is the best teacher.

That Colorado newspaper girl who "butted" into a presidential picture got considerably more of a "scoop" than she was looking for.

That mimic naval warfare in the Potomac river is doubtless very diverting to the crabs and pollywogs.

A hearse ran over a girl the other day, says a news item. It was not in Philadelphia, either.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS

By ERASMUS WILSON.

"There is no girl less likely to be married than the girl who acts as if she wanted to be. It might seem as though, when it is generally understood throughout a community that a girl desired to get married, that there would be a concerted rush on the part of all her men friends for her hand.

"On the contrary, there is scarcely any attitude which more surely repels them from the average girl. If she shows them that she has some interest in life outside of them, they are twice as likely to be attracted to her."

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Thus writes Kate Upson Clarke in one of her clever syndicate letters.

What do you think of it?

Some girls haven't thought of it at all, if we may judge from their success, or lack of success in securing husbands.

The average girl looks upon getting married as a matter of luck, or of chance. But in that she is wrong, and she ought to know it, for if she continues to feel that she is being slighted by fate, or that she has a hoodoo, or that she is simply unlucky, she is liable to become morose and more or less miserable.

Some of the dear creatures after passing out of the 20 class are inclined to give it up, and they rarely give it up gracefully, but become ill-natured and grumpy. These are held to be typical old maids.

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It is disposition that changes a girl into an old maid and not the accumulation of years on her head. Many young women are really old maids.

It is the woman who goes right along doing what she can find to do who is most apt to meet a happy mate. She may think it fate, but it is not; she met her mate, that's all.

The average girl is more likely to meet a mate than the girl of special or unusual type, for the average man is more numerous than the unusual man.

The girl who hangs on the hooks longest differs most from the average girl.

Let those bear this statement in mind who are inclined to quarrel with fate, or to bemoan their ill luck. It will be a source of great relief to know that there are scientific reasons why they haven't met their mates.

The simple fact is that they differ from the average girl in some one or more particulars, therefore are not able to so readily find a proper mate. Knowing this they can wait more patiently and will not age so rapidly.

But if a girl does not know this, or doesn't believe it, she is apt to try to catch a man anyhow, and may accept any sort of one, just to avoid becoming an old maid.

A large majority of those who have done so have had ample reasons for regretting it. And in many, if not in most instances, they would have found their mate had they but waited a little longer and not shown they were so very anxious.

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If girls were taught that it is their duty to work and wait, and impressed with the idea that they should study to become useful, industrious women instead of being filled with foolish notions concerning love, and be more content to await the coming of the men created for them, they would fare much better than under present rules and regulations.

Your mate was created for you, but that does not mean that there is only one man in the world for you, but that there is one particular style or type of man that is your proper mate. You may accept a man of another type, but he cannot possibly prove as acceptable as your own proper type.

There is but one size and shape of shoes that fits you comfortably and is always satisfactory. You can wear other sizes, and other shapes, but they are not satisfactory. Some of these may look as well, or even better than your brand, and some may promise good satisfaction, but the longer you wear them the more you dislike them. Others seem to fit well, but the first thing you know you are getting corns. After corns come ill temper, frowns and uncouth language.

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Keep busy doing something worth while and work hard enough to make you tired. This will give you an appetite for food, and for sleep, and for doing good. These will keep you hearty, young-looking and good natured.

You may not know it, but it is a fact that the man who is the making of a good husband always asks what a girl does, or what she can do. He may not ask anyone but himself, yet that question is certain to bob up. Not that he wants her for a servant or slave, but that he will have a great deal more confidence in her if she is well up in domestic arts, and can do something worth while, and do it well.

A woman is all the better for having taken a course in domestic arts, for such knowledge will prove far more useful to her than a course in a finishing school. In fact these finishing schools often put finishing touches on girls that prove a finish to them sure enough. They are turned out in such a state that there is nothing they can do but marry.

Nor can they even make their own matches, much less their own clothes, so that their matches, like their clothes, have to be made by others. You may know of such cases, and know whether they were successful or not.

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When Kate Upson Clarke was asked what she would advise a girl to do after finishing her schooling, she said:

"I should say to her, keep as much as you can from thinking about a husband. Above all, do not stand around waiting for one to come. He will come just as quickly if you do not wait for him. You may have no special work to do in your own home, but in your town there is an abundance. Study the schools, the charitable institutions or the municipal government. It was a shrewd and faithful woman who unearthed some of the worst abuses in the school system of the great city of Chicago and forced a reform. After you have become acquainted with one or more of the different fields, choose which one you will labor in. Get interested in it. Work in it, and induce your friends to work in it. Allow yourself to get tired every day in it. Then go to bed and sleep soundly—and go at it again."

And for a girl who has a home but not a fortune, there is much for her to do. Her mother needs her assistance, and so does her brothers and sisters. All of this comes under the head of practical education, the education that really pays.

This sort of girl rarely has to wait long for the coming of her mate, unless she possesses some phase of temperament that places her in a special class where she may have to wait until her special mate comes along. But if she isn't in a class all by herself she may not have to wait long.

Even those who are of such peculiar temperament that they stand alone are likely to find mates if only they patiently bide the time of their coming.

Answers to Correspondents.

Reader—A bushel contains 2,150 cubic inches.

E. T. S.—In the extract which The Gazette quoted the word "lays" was improperly used.

John Dalvan, Beaver.—No guide to the Pittsburgh street railways is published.

John Ehler, Shippenville—Paris green comes under the insecticies sold to agriculturists, which are excepted from poisons regulated by the state. Rat poison probably comes under the same head.

Something to Be Thankful For.

From the Chicago Inter Ocean.

There is a question as to the legality of the new Chicago city seal, because the child which the law says should repose in a shell is represented sitting up with its legs crossed. Instead of picking flaws in the design, however, we should rather be thankful that the artist refrained from representing the reposing infant with a paving stone in one hand and an offer to arbitrate in the other.

TALKED OF IN GOTHAM

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 15.—One never quite realizes how much "sporting blood" there is in Greater New York until one of the big racing stake days comes along. Today the Suburban handicap is given more attention and more space in the newspapers than the possibility of peace between Russia and Japan. Everywhere one heard of nothing but discussion of the possible winners, and it would appear from the talk early in the day, that every horse in the big race "carried a barrel of money" though since it is over the majority are willing to admit they did not "get down right." Even in the parks the bench warmers took as much interest in the race as they did in the possibility of eating a genuine dinner before the day was over. It is unlikely many of them could patronize the handbooks, but they could at least make "mind bets."

It was an ideal day for the race, hot sunshine and a cool breeze blowing, and the crowd that went to Sheepshead Bay is estimated at between 30,000 and 40,000. The $3 admission fee has little influence on stake days, for even the "piker" will somehow make a raise and rush for the track. If he cannot make a bet, he can at least figure on how much he would have won on the day if he had had the price to play his choice. If people could only cash their "mind" bets, there would be none but millionaires on Broadway. Strange, isn't it, that a man could always win the bets he hasn't money enough to make?

Those Who Live by Chance.

There are hundreds of men seen nightly along the rialto buying wine with their dinners who live wholly by chance—playing the races. With many of them it is more or less of a science, though none are as successful as "Pittsburgh Phil." That they can keep going is but evidence that the only way to beat the races is to put one's whole time and mind on it. The bookmakers do not expect to get profits from this class, but there are enough amateurs to prevent the layers of odds from worrying about the loss of their "three squares per day." The ranks of the amateurs are never wanting for recruits, and as fast as one fall out for want of the ready money, or because he has been caught betting with his employer's small change, there are others ready to take his place.

The Day's Gambling Tragedy.

William T. Piggott furnished the day's gambling tragedy by blowing out his brains while seated on a bench in Crotana park. In his pocket was a book of racing sheets, but no money. In his hand he held the picture of a beautiful girl—no up-to-date suicide omits the beautiful girl—and he left a note saying: "It was all for you that I tried." His was a vain endeavor because he made the mistake of trying to beat another man's game. Considering the number of men who find themselves in Piggott's fix during the racing season, it speaks well for the optimism of Americans that there are so few suicides as the result of bad judgment when bookmakers' harvest time is here.

Seaside Hospital Opens.

Today began the twenty-fifth season of the Seaside hospital of St. John's guild at New Dorp. This is one of the most successful charities ever organized. Since its work was begun 24 years ago, 31,153 children and their mothers, from among the very poorest in the city have been treated, and absolutely without cost to them. The hospital has been arranged for the care of children who need prolonged treatment. Boats leave for New Dorp twice a day, and at the dock are a doctor and nurse to care for prospective patients until they reach the hospital.

Carnegie's Name is Added.

The name of Andrew Carnegie has been added to the list of patrons of the St. Nicholas garden concerts presided over by Richard Henry Warren. In a cablegram just received by Mr. Warren, Mr. Carnegie expresses a hope for the success of the enterprise, which is intended to furnish good music all summer at popular prices. It is not expected the concerts will be financially successful, but on the list of guarantors are many names which make it certain that the losses will not have to fall upon the purses of the musicians. The concerts began tonight, and the attendance indicates success. They will continue for ten weeks.

Belasco Has Them Worried.

The theatrical syndicate seems to be very much perturbed these days by the comings and goings of the Belasco forces. Evidently they expect something to drop when the new seasons opens in the fall. Charles Emerson Cook left today for Europe. Manager Roeder is supposed to be there already, and no one seems to know just where Mr. Belasco himself is to be found. He is supposed to be in hiding where the daisies grow, helping Robert Hilliard build a play for his starring engagements, but that relieves the syndicate men not a bit. They would give a good deal to know just where the great anti-syndicate manager is going to break out next.

This Cuban's Heart Is Sad.

Francesco Juarrero is a sad Cuban. He arrived in the city on Tuesday, and now he is under bond in a writ brought by Miss Josephine A. Araguelles, a Brooklyn shop girl, to whom he made strenuous love on former visits to the city. She promised to be his wife, and now she wants him to "make good" or pay her the trifling sum of $100,000 to salve her wounded heart. Before the advent of the gentleman from Havana she was satisfied with her workaday existence, but his roses at $15 per dozen, wine dinners and other luxuries opened her eyes to the beauties of much money. Work now palls upon her, and since he is the cause of her discontent, she feels that he should foot the bill.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the leading New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
C. Burleigh, Jr.
Mrs. Burleigh.

Holland.
J. S. Hurd.
F. L. Slocum.
J. W. Patterson.
Misses Lezear.
Mrs. D. A. Moore.
W. E. Griffith.
Mrs. Griffith.

Hotel Astor.
M. Bonn.
W. M. Bonn.
S. W. Baker.
C. P. Byrnes.
Mrs. Byrnes.
H. E. Torrence.

Imperial.
H. G. Johnston.
F. C. Fraser.
J. M. Flannery.
D. D. Pendleton.
W. Connor.
P. V. McKenna.
Mrs. McKenna.
R. J. Kunkle.

Manhattan.
A. H. Holliday.
K. P. Lynch.

Fifth Avenue.
Misses Pachter.
H. O. Murphy.
N. Spang.
E. D. Levy.
Mrs. J. J. Nevin.
B. F. Bartlett.
Mrs. Bartlett.

Victoria.
J. Fingrasi.
O. Reinhold.
H. H. Miller.
J. W. Miller.
W. B. Gillespie.
H. G. Taylor.
R. Roberts.

St. Denis.
A. Burkman.
E. Johanson.
A. G. Parsons.
Mrs. Parsons.

Grenoble.
W. H. Hildebrand.

Broadway Central.
A. Goldlagar.

Breslin.
C. P. Tiers.
E. J. Edwards.
M. Neelan.
J. Zies.

Navarre.
T. McConville.
J. H. Jones.

Cumberland.
H. A. Clark.
D. H. Lackey.

Gregorian.
Mrs. G. S. Abraham.
A. S. Potter.

Herald Square.
F. P. White.
F. N. Baker.
P. R. Frost.

Union Square.
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Dr. W. T. Brill.

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Mrs. G. B. Edwards.
Miss Edwards.

Belmont.
P. H. Graham.
Mrs. Graham.

Bartholdi.
G. H. Roehrig.
Mrs. Roehrig.

New Amsterdam.
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Wolcott.
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Savoy.
I. Kaufmann.

Gilsey.
J. S. Beckwith.

Murray Hill.
W. Dando.

Marlborough.
H. S. McCune.

Netherland.
I. W. Frank.
Miss Frank.
G. B. Boswell.
Mrs. Boswell.
E. B. Boswell.
Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

DIGGING UP BABYLON

Discoveries Do Not Sustain its Ancient Reputation for Magnificence.

A well-equipped German expedition, under Dr. Kaldwey, has been working for five years upon the huge mounds which mark the site of ancient Babylon. The London Globe relates that with every modern appliance required for excavation, including a light railway, it must be said that, taken as a whole, the results have been disappointing. The discovery of the great processional street leading from the Temple of Bit-Saghia, the Temple of Merodach, to the Istar gate certainly brought with it many interesting historical associations, for it was along this way that most of the great conquerors, from the days of Khammurabi, must have passed. The encaustic decorations of the Istar gate, in blue, yellow and green tiles, are of much importance to students of oriental art, for in them, no doubt, we have the works which inspired the ceramic artists who decorated the palaces of the Persian kings at Susa. From an architectural point of view the excavations have considerable value, for they have shown the very shallow foundation on which the traditional splendor of the Temple of Belino rested.

No Trace of Art Adornment.

The Babylonian kings, especially Nebuchadnezzar, gave florid descriptions of the gold, silver and precious stones which they lavished on the decoration of the great temple, making it bright as the day." Stone plated with gold, walls inlaid with silver and precious stones, and doors covered with shining bronze, are among the objects of adornment specified. The very extensive explorations of the site of this great temple have shown that if these adornments did exist they must have been of a very portable character, for all that remained was an immense group of more than a hundred monotonous brick rooms. No sculpture lined the walls, as in the palaces of Nineveh and Kalah, and no winged bulls or lions guarded the doors. Even more remarkable than the disappointing results in relation to archaeology has been the astonishing absence of inscriptions.

No trace whatever has been found of any great library attached to the temple. This is not surprising, however, for it was the Temple of Nebo at Borsipha that, from B. C. 2,000 until a few centuries before the Christian era, was the chief center of light and learning, not only of Chaldea, but of all western Asia. Still, however, if no university library was found, we should have expected to find some royal records, foundation cylinders and tablets. Of course, many cylinders of Nebuchadnezzar have been found, with the usual uninteresting inscription, full of piety and empty of historical information.

Meagre Literary Remains.

In the last report issued by the German Oriental society there are published two inscriptions, however, one of which is of more than ordinary interest, for it differs from the majority of royal inscriptions of the later Babylonian kings in giving some historical information. The first inscription is on a cylinder, placed as a foundation record by Assurbani-pal, king of Assyria, and records his accession, and the installation of his foster-brother, Sammassamukin, as king of Babylon. The most interesting passage in the inscription is that in which the king states that he confirmed the "rights and privileges of the people of Babylon." He records the gifts he made to the Temple of Marduk, and concludes with the usual pious prayer.

The second inscription is of much greater interest, for both in style and matter it differs from all other Babylon texts—its nearest approach in style being the coronation inscription of Nabonidus, engraved upon a black stone pillar now in the imperial Ottoman Museum at Constantinople. The inscription in question was written by order of the usurper, King Nabupalassar, the founder of the new Babylonian empire, who, in B. C. 625, revolted against the Assyrian and proclaimed himself king of Babylon. The text is engraved upon a barrel cylinder of terra cotta, and contains 11 lines of very clear writing.

Being a usurper, the king opens the inscription with no elaborate pedigree, and, is, indeed, sweetly candid in speaking of himself. The opening lines seem to indicate that the king was a priest and scribe as well as a general.

From the Seed of the Hague.

Whatever may be the outcome of the steps toward peace which President Roosevelt has taken, it is a matter for thankfulness that he was greatly aided in taking them by the attitude of this country with regard to The Hague convention and the system set up in connection with that convention. That simple fact is a conclusive answer to the stock objection to efforts toward the peaceful settlement of international differences, namely that they are essentially visionary. In this case at least such efforts, crystallized in the arrangements and agreements of The Hague, made it possible for the ambassador of the United States to approach the czar as a matter of conceded right in the performance of a recognized function, and they also made it possible for the czar to listen to the friendly message the ambassador brought from the president, without the slightest risk of seeming to show the outside world weakness or lack of self-respect.—New York Times.

Women's Voice.

Women spend years in learning to play a musical instrument, in polishing their manners and in studying the mysteries of dress and fashion, yet their voices are left uncultivated, though on these depends in highest degree the charm of social intercourse. Go into a drawing room or a dining room crowded with women and the din of the vocal discord is distressing. Yet all this is conquerable by education, and the conquering of it is one of the most important functions of education. The musical instrument most carefully to be cultivated is the human voice, from the earliest childhood to maturity.—New York Sun.

Last of Lucknow Garrison.

Mrs. Barnwell, wife of the late Gen. Charles Arthur Barnwell, C. B., was buried at Harrow, England, in the early part of May. She was with her husband in the Indian mutiny, and was the last survivor of the ill-fated Lucknow garrison.—New York Globe.

White and Yellow.

Japan is a yellow country with a white heart. America is a white country with a yellow press.—Brooklyn Eagle.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"Why did you let him get away from you?" thundered the chief.

"Why—er—he took a mean advantage of me," replied the new detective. "He ran across the grass in the park—"

"Well?"

"Well, there was a sign there: 'Keep off the grass.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Howell—I consulted a clairvoyant when I was in Utah.

Powell—Was she any good?

Howell—She ought to have been; she was a seventy-seventh daughter of a seventy-seventh son.—Puck.

"So he said I was a polished gentleman, did he?"

"Well—yes. It was the same thing."

"Ah! What was the exact words?"

"He said you were a slippery fellow."—Cleveland Leader.

"Perhaps," growled the unsuccessful contributor, "you don't consider this joke original."

"Oh! yes I do," replied the editor.

"Ah! then why——"

"Yes, it was original about 75 years ago, but you don't appear to be that old.—Philadelphia Press.

"Thank heaven, the days of religious persecution are over."

"But they aren't. Our church is having a fair this week."—Smart Set.

DALRYMPLE'S OPINION

Something About Municipal Ownership in America.

"I do not believe that municipal ownership is feasible in this country, because of the unusual conditions, for there is so much politics here," said James Dalrymple, the Glasgow expert, whom Mayor Dunne invited to Chicago to study conditions there with the idea of municipal ownership. While the conclusions he announced on the eve of his return are disappointing to those who hoped he would enthusiastically approve municipal ownership, the press of the country generally accept the opinions as a truthful presentation of the case. Here are sample opinions:

The Scots Were Prepared.

From the Philadelphia Ledger.

It is easy to point to England and to Scotland and say, "The Scots have done it, and why cannot we Americans do it?" But is must be remembered that the Scots and the English had honest and efficient municipal government long before they even attempted to conduct railways, and until we shall have established the honest and well-conducted municipality as a rule in this country it is sheer folly to talk of turning over more business to the city's servants.

Put His Finger on the Weak Spot.

From the New York Tribune.

This looseness and inefficiency in public departments is a reason to fear experiments in municipal ownership. The head of one of the great departments under the Low administration, familiar with private work, once said that if he could get his force to do two-thirds of the work which would be required of them in private employment his ambition would be satisfied. With the utmost vigilance he was not getting much more than half an honest day's work for a day's pay. Mr. Dalrymple put his finger on this weak spot in our system, and told us not to expect with it the good results achieved through municipal ownership in Glasgow.

Disappointing to Judge Dunne.

From the New York Sun.

Mr. Dalrymple, tramway superintendent, was imported by Mayor Dunne to spread the gospel of state socialism. He took one look at Chicago, talked with a few citizens and then told Mayor Dunne that municipal street railways and politics wouldn't mix successfully on the shores of Lake Michigan. Mayor Dunne when he heard this, passed in the composition of his reply to the Cook county grand jury's censure. His curls straightened in horror. Municipal ownership and operation constitute politics in Chicago, and Mayor Dunne shuddered as he gazed at Mr. Dalrymple.

Lack of Golf and Scotch Whisky.

From the Washington Star.

Mr. Dalrymple is a little afraid that Chicago has not played golf and drunk Scotch whisky enough to become quite like Glasgow.

Honesty and Politics Don't Mix.

From the Atlanta Constitution.

Mr. Dalrymple, the Glasgow municipal ownership specialist, who is giving Chicago the benefit of his experience, says government under municipal ownership cannot be a success unless it is entirely honest and he does not think honesty and politics mix.

The Sound Commercial Basis.

From the Boston Transcript.

Another significant statement is that his city has been accustomed to operate her public utilities "on a strictly sound commercial basis." He seems to be a little doubtful whether that would be the Chicago basis. It has been announced that it would not be Mayor Dunne's policy to put the employes of a municipal street railway system in the classified list. Failure to do that would wreck the scheme upon the very threshold of its attempted development. Municipal politics and municipal ownership do not work together for success in an undertaking of this kind, and to achieve what Glasgow has achieved her system must be adopted in something more than its initial features.

Restricted Private Ownership Better.

From the Philadelphia Press.

If Mr. Dalrymple, the manager of the Glasgow street railroads, has discovered that municipal ownership is not desirable in American cities, he has learned something from his trip to Chicago to advise Mayor Dunne on the public acquisition of street car lines. Mr. Dalrymple bases his objection altogether on politics. There is a better reason. Private ownership, combined with adequate taxation and a strict supervision of rates, is better in itself than municipal ownership of public service utilities.

Another Kind of Expert Needed.

From the Chicago Tribune.

Mr. Dalrymple vouchsafed one bit of information to the effect that the successful municipal operation of street car lines is impossible if politics be allowed to creep in. That is not new, but it is true, and if Chicago is to go into the street car business it needs information as to how a municipal government may be purged of politics and put in a position to perform its duties acceptably. The physician who has the skill to do that is one the city should set out in search of.

Pains Greater Than Joys.

From the Detroit Free Press.

There is a wide belief that the pains of municipal ownership will be greater than the joys. It would certainly be well to try out the other plans before an extreme course is taken. If the right to regulate rates can be secured—and it should be less difficult of achievement than the right to own and operate railways—it should be tried first. If the result is unsatisfactory it will be time to talk about municipal ownership.

Dalrymple's Views Corroborated.

From the Kansas City Journal.

Mr. Dalrymple's views are corroborated by the reports of American consuls from the leading European cities. The municipal service is good in certain departments, notably in cleaning the streets, for the reason that there is almost a military discipline in the public service, and experts, high class university men, are employed to do the work. The salaries they receive, however, are so low as to be beneath the notice of an American expert, university graduate or not, and the iron rules of servitude would be altogether intolerable in this land of liberty. Their street car service does not compare with our own at any cost more in proportion to mileage. The average American would prefer to ride in a hearse to the tantalizing slowness of the Glasgow tram cars.

ARRIVALS AT PITTSBURGH HOTELS.

Colonial—Dr. J. R. Pershing, Greensburg; C. C. Cribb, Sisterville; E. H. Shirley, Franklin; G. D. Graham, Johnstown; D. R. Crawford, Kittanning; J. W. Phillips, New Castle; S. H. Butler, Charleroi; L. C. Hare, Beaver Falls.

Lincoln—W. W. Pope, Akron; M. McKinnie, Ashtabula.

Monongahela House—J. E. Bennett, Washington; H. W. Martz, Sharon; P. P. Reese, Phillipsburg; J. W. Bailey, Wellsboro; W. E. LaRoche, Bellaire; J. M. Taylor, Orrville; T. Kennedy, Ashtabula.

Griswold—J. H. Halloway, Point Pleasant; S. E. Rankin, Connellsville; R. R. Farrol, Waynesburg; J. W. Pinley, Johnstown; J. W. Leech, Erie; William Knoedler, Zanesville; H. Patterson, Imperial.

Henry—M. F. McCullough, Wheeling; D. E. Barton, Mercer; E. L. Denny, Waynesburg; M. A. Ryan, East Brady; F. M. Bowers, Youngstown; H. B. Stewart, Canton; C. B. Gilles, Marietta; E. M. Denson, Clarksburg; S. W. Shrader, Grafton.

Duquesne—Adam Hartman, Wheeling; C. N. Jones, Clearfield; T. Donnelly, Johnstown; C. M. Hadley, Erie.

Antler—R. W. Roberts, Mannington; J. M. Jones, New Castle; John J. Sherring, Jeffer.

Seventh Avenue—E. M. Bennett, Barnesboro; H. J. McCullough, Clinton; J. M. Rogers, Indiana; George Auld, Wheeling; W. J. Deasley, Butler.

Newell's—S. E. Meyers, Punxsutawney.

CLARK IS TURNED DOWN BY MAYOR

Hays Promises Director Appointment and Then Changes His Mind.

LABOR MEN PRESENT CLAIMS

Director James W. Clark got another slap from the city administration yesterday. Clark and Councilman Helmold of the Twentieth ward called upon Mayor Hays yesterday morning and asked him to have Fred Davidson of their ward appointed to fill a new clerkship in the city clerk's office at $80 per month. The mayor promised the director and Mr. Helmold that Davidson would be appointed at once, but in the afternoon it was announced the appointment had been held up indefinitely.

City Clerk H. W. Minnemeyer, Jr., is held responsible for preventing the appointment, and Director Clark and the Twentieth ward councilmen are much incensed at him. Minnemeyer was displeased because he was not consulted. Just when the mayor was about to make the appointment he objected, claiming the extra clerk was not needed. Director Clark and Mr. Helmold are particularly wrathy at Minnemeyer, because the latter is also from the Twentieth ward.

An extra clerk in the city clerk's office was asked by Minnemeyer's predecessor, the late E. W. Hassler, who convinced councils that another man was needed.

Labor Men Meet Republicans.

The ordinance advocated by Mr. Hassler was passed by councils soon after his death last winter, but the appointment was delayed. It was understood that the Twentieth ward was to name the new clerk. Davidson is employed temporarily as a clerk in the bureau of water assessments.

Twenty representatives of as many labor bodies held a meeting yesterday afternoon with the conference sub-committee appointed by County Chairman Ford to discuss nominations on the Republican ticket. W. J. Burke acted as chairman of the labor committee and W. H. Keech was chairman of the Republican sub-committee, which was composed of Mr. Keech, Thomas J. Ford, Elliott Rodgers, J. P. Hunter and L. L. Davis. The labor men asked for one place on the ticket, expressing a preference for one of the commissionerships. Among the possible candidates whom the labor men said they might present is John Fernau.

The Republican sub-committee will hold a conference the first of next week with a committee from the Allegheny County War Veterans' association and the Soldiers' Civic league. No date has been set for a conference with the Orphans' party committee.

Republican Committee Tonight.

The Republican city committee meets tonight at headquarters in Grant street for organization. No opposition to the re-election of Chairman M. G. Leslie has developed. Chairman Leslie has been confined to his home for several days by an attack of the grip and will hardly be present tonight.

Chairman W. J. Brennen failed to appoint his committee yesterday to confer with the Citizens in making up a fusion ticket. Mr. Brennen said he was not quite ready to name the committee and may delay the appointments several days more.

John A. Bell has not yet announced his decision concerning the county commissionership. He said yesterday afternoon that he hoped to be able to make up his mind today. Although there was a tip out yesterday that Mr. Bell would decline the appointment, there is a belief in Republican circles that he will accept, stating, however, that he will not be a candidate for election.

Seventeenth Ward Citizens Organize.

An organization of the Citizens party committee of the Seventeenth ward was effected at a meeting last night in No. 5 police station. Hugh Ferguson was elected chairman, William Coates, vice chairman and Charles Elenhart secretary and treasurer. Members of the county committee were elected as follows:

First district, Charles Eberhart; Second, Max Roeder; Third, William Monahan; Fourth, Louis McFarland; Fifth, Daniel McCarthy; Sixth, Hugh Ferguson; Seventh, William Coates; Eighth, John Maloney; Ninth, John Weist; Tenth, Daniel McHenry; Eleventh, John McBride.

As delegates to the county convention, to be held June 27, the following were elected: First district, John H. Scott, Jr.; Second, William Milhelber; Third, F. P. Sowders; Fourth, William Le Goullon; Fifth, Charles Cooper; Sixth, John B. Coates; Seventh, George A. Moke; Eighth, John Williams; Ninth, Frank Niggle; Tenth, Daniel Wilkie; Eleventh, Daniel Cornahan.

WILL TALK ON JAPAN.

Honored American Educator Coming as Guest of a Pittsburgh Pastor Will Give Latter's Friends a Treat.

The Rev. Dr. David B. Schneder, president of the North Japan college at Sendai, Japan, is to occupy the pulpit of the Rev. Dr. John H. Prugh, pastor of Grace Reformed church, next Sunday morning, and on next Saturday evening he has kindly consented to speak informally in the church parlors on some of the broader phases of Christian missions among the remarkable people of Japan.

Dr. Schneder, who recently came back to the United States for a brief visit to friends, and who returns to Japan in August, has been a most careful observer of events in the far east. He is one of the most highly honored and influential educators in the Japanese empire. When he was returning to this country last month, prominent Japanese officials and citizens entrusted to him a very ancient and valuable sword and a beautiful flag for President Roosevelt, which gifts he presented to the president in the White House.

Continue the Wallace Hearing.

The hearing in the case of Supt. Wallace was continued yesterday on the request of Attorneys Marron and Haymaker until 4 o'clock this afternoon. The attorneys told Mayor Hays and Director Moore they had been busy in court and were not prepared to go on with the case at that time. Attorney Brennen, who represents Wallace, agreed to the continuation. City Solicitor Rogers will act with Attorney Brennen as Wallace's counsel this afternoon.

Truant Officers Are Re-Elected.

The compulsory education committee of the central board of education last night re-elected 14 of the 15 present truant officers. S. A. Phillips having removed from the city, Samuel Thomas was elected in his place. The music committee recommended the re-election of E. E. Rinehart and G. L. Smink as supervisors of music at a salary of $1,800. This is an increase of $200 a year. Murphy Bros. were given the contract for the erection of a new grandstand and fence at Friendship park for $1,739.

The Safe Deposit & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street, has plenty of money to loan on improved real estate in Allegheny county. No commissions, low rates for examining title and applications answered promptly. Get blank forms from Mortgage Department.

Through Sleeping Car Service Between Pittsburgh and Atlantic City.

Pennsylvania Railroad announces that commencing with train leaving Pittsburgh at 10 p. m., June 23, the Pittsburgh and Atlantic City through sleeping car line will be established, arriving Philadelphia 7:17 a. m., leaving Philadelphia at 8 a. m. and arriving Atlantic City 9:20 a. m. Returning car will leave Atlantic City at 9 p. m., connecting at Broad street station, Philadelphia, with train No. 19, arriving Pittsburgh 8 a. m. This service will be daily.

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GOVERNOR NAMES ADOLPH KOENIG

Edgewood Doctor Is to Be a Member of the State Health Advisory Board.

FOR A TERM OF FOUR YEARS

Dr. Adolph Koenig of Edgewood was yesterday appointed by Gov. S. W. Pennypacker a member of the advisory board provided for by the act of 1905, creating the state department of health. Dr. Koenig was at one time regarded as being a formidable aspirant for commissioner of the department, to which Dr. Samuel G. Dixon of Ardmore was recently appointed.

The governor also appointed the following on the board: Dr. Charles B. Penrose, a brother of the senator of Philadelphia, who drafted the bill creating the department and was tendered the appointment of commissioner and declined; Dr. Samuel G. Davis of Lancaster, president of the state board of health, which passed out of existence when the new health officer qualified; Dr. Leonard Pearson of Philadelphia, state veterinarian and secretary of the state live stock sanitary board; Dr. B. H. Warren of West Chester, state dairy and food commissioner, which the governor was at one time disposed to promote to health commissioner; Lee Masterson, a civil engineer of Johnstown. The term is four years.

The law provides that five members of this commission shall be qualified physicians and the sixth shall be an expert civil engineer. The members of the board are not paid salaries, but are allowed traveling and other expenses. The duties of the board are set forth in the act as follows:

It shall be the duty of the advisory board to advise the commissioner on such matters as he may bring before it, and to draw up such reasonable orders and regulations as are deemed by said board necessary for the prevention of disease and for the protection of the lives and health of the state, and for the proper performance of other work of the department of health.

Dr. Dixon will consult with the government before appointing the 10 district health officers, who shall receive a salary of $2,500 yearly each, and such other officials as may be necessary to carry on the work of the department. The district health officer must be a physician of five years' experience, a graduate of a medical college and a resident of the district.

PRESIDENT RECEIVES EXTRA WAR PAY

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The treasury department today issued a warrant for $583 in favor of President Roosevelt, which represents the two months' extra pay allowed to officers in the Spanish war under an act passed by congress in 1898.

Dunlevy Is Re-Elected.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 15.—At the business session of the American Association of Local Freight Agents today, J. H. Dunlevy of Pittsburgh was re-elected treasurer.

For the Convenience of Delegates and Others Attending Christian Endeavor Convention at Baltimore.

Pennsylvania railroad will run a special train from Pittsburgh to Baltimore on July 5, leaving Pittsburgh at 9 a. m., stopping at all principal stations between Pittsburgh and Altoona. This train will consist of vestibuled coaches, parlor cars and dining car. Rate from Pittsburgh $9 round trip. Corresponding low rates from other points.

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Men's Velour Calf and Vici Kid $1.50 Oxfords for..... $1.00

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New Castle and Erie	* 8.30 am	* 8.20 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.20 am	10.55 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.30 am	* 1.35 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 7.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 1.00 am	* 1.45 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 1.20 am	* 1.35 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 7.35 am	*10.35 am
Mercer and Oil City	* 7.35 am	*10.35 am
Jamestown and New Castle	* 7.35 am	* 1.35 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 3.35 pm	* 8.35 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.00 am	* 8.40 pm
The Cleveland Express	* 9.00 am	* 5.35 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 9.30 am	* 5.35 pm
The Toledo Special	* 1.20 am	* 1.35 pm
Tiffin and Toledo	*11.30 am	* 1.35 pm
Cincinnati and Chicago	*12.30 pm	* 5.35 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula and Jamestown	*12.35 pm	* 1.35 pm
Jamestown and Ashtabula	*12.35 pm	* 1.35 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 1.35 pm	* 1.35 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.35 pm	* 1.35 pm
East Liverpool and Steubenville	* 4.05 pm	* 1.40 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 pm	* 1.35 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.30 pm	* 1.35 pm
Niles and Youngstown	* 4.30 pm	* 1.35 pm
Jamestown, Youngstown and Niles	* 4.00 pm	* 8.50 pm
The St. Louis Special	* 4.40 pm	* 8.10 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.35 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 1.40 pm	* 5.40 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	*5.10 pm	* 9.05 am
The Chicago Special	* 5.10 pm	* 1.45 pm
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 5.10 pm	* 1.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 5.10 pm	* 5.35 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 5.10 pm	* 4.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 5.30 pm	* 8.50 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 5.40 pm	* 1.40 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	*10.40 pm	* 6.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 6.40 am
The Pennsylvania Special	*11.35 pm	*11.35 pm

Leave for Washington, Pa., 10.00 a.m., 12.00 m., *2.30, *5.30, *7.30, *11.30 p.m. Arrive from Washington, Pa., 7.30, *8.30 a.m., 12.30, *2.30, *5.30, *7.30, 11.30 p.m.
Leave for Wheeling, *6.50 a.m., *2.30 a.m., *11.00 a.m., *2.30 p.m., *5.40 p.m., *7.00 p.m.
Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 a.m., 9.35 a.m., 4.30 p.m., *10.55 p.m., 12.15 a.m.
Leave for Denison, *5.40 a.m., 12.50 p.m.
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, *9.35 p.m.
*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.
Schedule in effect May 14, 1905.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Clev. "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 2.45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngstown Express	* 7.15 am	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo Limited	* 9.00 am	* 3.00 pm
Clev. & Chautauqua	* 9.00 am	*12.30 pm
Buffalo and Eastern Exp.	*12.35 pm	* 6.50 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12.35 pm	* 6.50 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 5.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 5.00 pm	*12.20 pm
Boston Special	* 5.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6.15 pm	* 6.35 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5.30 am	† 9.40 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6.40 am	† 8.45 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 1.10 pm	† 3.30 pm
New Castle Accom.	†11.55 am	† 4.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3.50 am	†12.10 pm
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	† 7.30 pm
New Castle Express	† 8.30 am	† 7.30 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5.25 pm	† 8.45 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 6.35 pm	† 9.45 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 9.00 pm	† 7.15 pm
Brownsville Accom.	† 6.10 am	† 9.45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	† 8.00 am	† 5.00 am
McKeesp't & Brownsville	†11.20 am	†12.40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 4.20 pm	† 6.00 pm
Connellsv'le & N. Haven	† 6.20 pm	† 9.45 pm

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Bradley and Beechmont, 15.20 a. m., 19.20 a. m., 14.10 p. m., 18.30 p. m.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.
City ticket office, 257 Fifth ave. Park bldg.
J. B. Wentz, Gen. Supt. | L. D. Robinson, Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time, From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

The Pennsylvania Special, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	1.35 a.m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	1.30 a.m.
Keystone Express, daily	3.00 a.m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily	3.45 a.m.
New York Limited, daily	7.10 a.m.
Atlantic Express, daily	7.20 a.m.
Main Line Express, daily	8.00 a.m.
Buffalo Day Express, daily, for Buffalo	8.00 a.m.
Day Express, daily	12.05 p.m.
Mail Express, daily, for Baltimore and Washington	12.40 p.m.
Buffalo Special, daily, for Buffalo	1.10 p.m.
Chicago Mail, daily, for Baltimore and Washington	1.55 p.m.
Eastern Express, daily, for Philadelphia and New York	4.35 p.m.
New York Express, daily	7.00 p.m.
Philadelphia and Washington Express, daily	9.30 p.m.
New York Special, daily, for New York, Baltimore and Washington	10.00 p.m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, for Philadelphia only. Sleeping cars only	10.00 p.m.
Buffalo Night Express, daily, for Buffalo	11.00 p.m.

For Oil City, 6.22, 9.00 a. m., 1.10, 7.30, 8.35 and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 8.15, 8.30 a. m., 12.30 and 5.07 p. m. week-days. 8.00 a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Sundays.
For Mount Pleasant and Uniontown, 10.35 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week-days and 4.50 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville only, 6.10, 8.30, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 2.12, 7.15 and 11.35 p. m. week-days; 7.40, 9.50 a. m. and 1.05, 8.00 and 8.40 p. m. Sundays.
For West Brownsville, 1.05, 7.15 p. m. week-days. For Dawson, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.10, 8.30, 10.05 a. m., 1.05, 4.35, 6.10 (6.30 to Dawson), 7.15 (City), 7.35 and 11.35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.50 a. m., 1.05, 4.20, 5.00 and 8.40 p. m.
For Butler, 8.35 and 4.10 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY.

For Butler, 6.40, 8.35, 10.15 a. m., 2.30 and 6.15 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 6.30 p.m.

The Excelsior Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time Cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—639 Fifth Avenue, corner Fourth Avenue and City Street, and Union station.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Passenger Traffic Mgr.
GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accommods.	* 6.55 am	* 9.25 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	6.30 am	*10.05 am
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
Cumb., Un'ta & Fairmont	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9.15 am	† 5.00 pm
Cumb. Wash. & Balt.	† 1.35 pm	† 3.00 pm
Cumb., Un'ta & Fairmont	12.00 pm	† 5.55 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	* 4.00 pm	† 6.05 pm
Connellsville Accom'tion.	* 4.10 pm	† 8.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 3.00 pm	†12.20 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6.20 pm	* 3.30 am
West Newton Accom.	† 6.40 pm	† 9.00 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	† 9.00 pm	† 4.5 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	† 7.00 am	† 9.10 am
Col., Chi. & St. L. Ex.	* 8.50 am	* 7.45 pm
Wheeling Express	* 1.00 pm	* 4.00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4.00 pm	* 6.05 am
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 5.05 pm	† 9.10 am
Col., Chi. & St. L. Ex.	* 8.50 pm	* 7.55 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Lorain	* 7.45 am	* 8.50 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4.50 pm	* 1.00 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8.05 pm	* 7.55 am
(Leave Allegheny)		
Butler	† 7.50 am	† 9.00 am
Butler, Zelienople	† 7.30 am	† 7.40 am
Butler, Parker, Foxburg, Kane	† 8.15 am	† 6.10 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 8.15 am	† 6.55 pm
Butler	†11.00 am	† 9.40 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 1.15 pm	† 1.50 pm
Ellwood City	† 1.15 pm	† 6.30 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenville	† 5.30 pm	† 10.25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5.30 pm	† 6.40 am
Butler	† 6.05 pm	* 2.10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle	† 6.15 pm	* 9.40 pm
Butler, Foxburg	† 6.05 pm	† 1.50 pm
Butler	† 6.30 pm	† 10.25 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER AND PITTSBURGH RY.

Ticket Office, 504 Smithfield St. Trains Leave B. & O. Station, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Eastern Standard Time.	Leave.	Arrive.
Buffalo and Rochester Express. (Cafe-Observation Cars week days). Reclining Chair Car daily	* 9.00 am	* 7.00 pm
Dubois Accommodation	† 4.05 pm	†11.00 am
Buffalo & Rochester Night Express. (Pullman Sleepers)	*10.00 pm	* 7.40 am

*Daily. †Week days.

WABASH SYSTEM

Station Corner Liberty Avenue and Ferry Street.
Central Time—All trains daily. Depart. Arrive.

Wheeling Express	6.50 am	9.40 pm
Hickory and Pryor Accom.	9.00 am	12.45 pm
Toledo, St. L. Kansas City	12.01 pm	5.40 pm
Wheeling Express	4.30 pm	6.40 pm
Hickory Pryor, Mingo Accom.	5.00 pm	9.00 am
St. L., Chicago, Kansas City	7.00 pm	7.40 am

Pullman Sleepers and Free Reclining Chair Cars on through trains. Cafe Parlor Cars on Wheeling trains.
City Ticket Office, 320 Fifth Avenue.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny Central Standard time, for Conneaut, O., Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 9.15 a. m. and 1.15 p. m. for Greenville and Mercer, Grove City and Kersey at 8.15 a. m., 1.15 and 4.00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

GOOD REPORTS TO LUTHERAN SYNOD

Church's Foreign Mission Work Is Shown to Be in a Progressive Condition.

DIVORCE QUESTION COMES UP

Excellent work done in the foreign mission field proved a special feature of the afternoon meeting of the forty-second convention of the general synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church, which opened at Bethany church yesterday morning. It was shown that the total receipts of the board of foreign missions from all sources during the biennium had been $147,208 13. Of this sum $80,-911 75 came from the general fund and $26,923 13 from the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society. From "special relief" sources came $7,881 46. The report of Treasurer Oliver F. Lantz showed $28,335 56 in cash on hand, with obligations of $29,503 99, leaving a balance of $1,751 69. The deficit on apportionment was only $5,109 77, the smallest on record.

It was ordered that the apportionment committee increase from 20 to 25 cents per annum the foreign mission apportionment of each communicant.

The divorce question was, after much discussion, referred to a special committee, which is instructed to prepare a law on the subject binding on the church's ministers. This will probably not be reported until the next synod meets.

The cases of the Rev. Henry C. Rhoener, who was ordained by the Northern Indiana synod against the protest of the Western Pennsylvania synod, and the somewhat similar case of the Rev. W. W. Frey were referred to a special committee with instruction to take action which will serve as a precedent in such instances.

At the evening session the Rev. Charles E. Hay, D. D., of Baltimore, secretary of the deaconess' board, presided, and the main feature of the evening was an address by the Rev. Dr. W. H. Dunbar, president of the board. The work of the deaconesses was explained in detail. He made a plea for $50,000 to erect a suitable headquarters to take the place of the present inadequate home in Baltimore.

At the morning session yesterday officers were elected as follows: President, the Rev. Dr. D. H. Bauslin, Springfield, O.; secretary, the Rev. H. K. Penner, Louisville, Ky.; treasurer, George H. Knollenberg of Indiana.

The program for today opens with devotional exercises at 8:30 a. m. and both forenoon and afternoon business sessions will be held. At the evening session the anniversary of the board of foreign missions will be celebrated, addresses being made by the Rev. Dr. E. K. Bell of Baltimore and the Rev. Dr. Allen O. Becker of Lima, O.

There are about 240 out of 260 qualified delegates at the convention, representing the "English" division of the Lutheran church, with about 220,000 communicants.

SECRETARY OF STATE HAY BACK FROM TRIP ABROAD

His Health Is Improved, but He Is Far from Well—Gets Message from President—Will Not Resign.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 15.—Secretary of State John Hay arrived from Europe tonight on the Baltic, much improved in health, but plainly showing he was far from being a well man. His presence in this country evidently was anxiously expected by President Roosevelt, for an imposing and long document was delivered to him at quarantine by a special messenger from the White House who went down the bay on the revenue cutter to deliver it to Mr. Hay in prson. The contents of this message Secretary Hay refused to divulge.

Secretary Hay was informed by the newspaper men that the envoys in the Russo-Japanese peace negotiations were to meet in Washington. It was the first information he had received as to the outcome of the president's efforts. Mr. Hay would not discuss the subject of peace. He said he had no intention of leaving the cabinet.

At the pier tonight to greet Secretary Hay and Mrs. Hay were Payne Whitney and his wife, the latter a daughter of the secretary. Mr. and Mrs. Hay went to the Whitney home for the night.

DIED.

BAKER—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 3:15 p. m., ANNIE CRAFT, beloved daughter of Thomas W. and Ellen G. Baker. Funeral from parents' residence, 3815 Ward street, Friday at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

EYTH—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 10:20 a. m., at the family residence, 4823 Second avenue, Hazelwood, JULIA EYTH, widow of John B. Eyth, in her 70th year. Funeral on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Services at St. Stephen's church at 9:30 a. m. Interment private.

HENRY—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 8:40 p. m., PATRICK JOSEPH, son of Thomas P. and Isabella Henry, aged 28 years, member of Duquesne council No. 264, Knights of Columbus. Funeral from the family residence, 1314 Vickroy street, on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Services at Church of the Epiphany at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Connellsville and Uniontown papers please copy.)

KING—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at Atlantic City, N. J., HARRY J. KING. Funeral services at the residence of Mr. Henry Lloyd, 259 North Dithridge street, this morning at 11 o'clock. Interment private.

LENKARD—On Thursday morning, June 15, 1905, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Adam Orris, Harrisburg, Pa., MATILDA, wife of J. D. Lenkard. Notice of funeral in evening papers.

METCALF—On Thursday, June 15, 1905, at 8 a. m., MARGARETTA J. ABER, wife of Preston C. Metcalf. Funeral services at the residence of Mrs. Z. W. Aber, Patton township, on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

M'LEAN—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at Alexandria, Va., Dr. E. P. M'LEAN, in his 52nd year. Interment on Friday, June 16, at his old home, Aubyville, Va. [Beaver (Pa.) and Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.]

NESBIT—On Thursday, June 15, 1905, at 1 a. m., JANE R. NESBIT, in the 74th year of her age. Services at the residence of her son, Thomas McF. Nesbit, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at a later hour.

PHILLIPS—On Friday, June 16, 1905, at 12:30 a. m., at her residence, Davis avenue and Brighton road, Allegheny, MARTHA G., widow of John Phillips. Notice of funeral later.

SHEETS—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 1 a. m., at Gaston, Pa., WILLIAM L. SHEETS, of a complication of diseases, aged 48 years, 2 months and a few days. Funeral services on Friday at 2 o'clock at the residence of his brother, Robert E. Sheets. Interment at St. James chapel cemetery. All friends are respectfully invited to attend.

SMITH—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 8:45 p. m., FRANK W. SMITH, son of the late C. E. M. Smith. Funeral services at his late residence, 5238 Westminster street, East End, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

WARREN—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 4 a. m., MARGARET WARREN (nee Wilson), widow of Robert Warren, aged 63 years. Funeral services on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of her son, Thomas A. Warren, No. 917 North Euclid avenue. Interment private at a later hour.

WOLFE—On Wednesday, June 14, 1905, at 4 a. m., ADA B. SWINDELL, wife of Dr. W. W. Wolfe. Funeral services on Friday, June 16, at 2 o'clock at the residence, 2236 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

ZILER—On Wednesday, June 15, 1905, CARROLL W., ZILER, son of Carroll W. and Mrs. Ziler (nee Buchner), in his 20th year. Funeral from the family residence, Forrest street, West Homestead, Saturday afternoon, services at 2 o'clock. Interment in Catholic cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FLORAL EMBLEMS.
A. M. MURDOCH,
Court 2222. 250 Fifth Avenue.

JAMES M. FULLERTON.
FUNERAL DIRECTOR.
Tell 1153 Grant.
181 EIGHTH STREET, PITTSBURGH.

POLICEMAN ADAM HEIN DIES BY THE HAND OF A FRIEND

Well-Known Member of the Allegheny Force Is Accidently Shot by Joseph Steuernagel—Had Reported Over 100 Suicides.

Adam Hein, aged 55 years, one of the best-known members of the Allegheny bureau of police, who in his 15 years' of service on the police force, is reputed to have reported more cases of suicide than any other member of the force, was shot at 2:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He died while being taken to the Allegheny General hospital in a patrol wagon.

Less than three weeks ago, "Adam," as he was familiarly known to every man, woman and child on his beat in the Spring Garden avenue district, stated he had long ago passed the 100-mark in the cases of suicide he had reported to headquarters. Hein was also prominent among the Germans in politics.

During the afternoon Hein stopped in the store of Joseph Steuernagel, a hardware merchant at East Ohio and Chestnut street, and asked Steuernagel for some cartridges for his revolver. After putting them in the weapon he put it into his pocket. Steuernagel then said:

"Let me show you a dandy gun," and he pulled a Colt repeating revolver from his hip pocket and emptying, as he supposed, the magazine of the weapon, handed it to Hein, who examined it and handed it back to Steuernagel, who began snapping the trigger. There was one shell in the magazine and it exploded, the ball entering Hein's abdomen. Hein fell to the floor crying:

"Joe, you have shot me."

"Oh, no, that can't be," Steuernagel cried, running around the counter and attempting to lift Hein to his feet.

A physician was called, and after dressing Hein's wound, the officer was placed in a patrol wagon, but when it reached the hospital he was dead. An examination of the wound showed the bullet had severed an artery and Hein had died of internal hemorrhages.

Steuernagel was taken to Central police station, where he was detained till he had explained the shooting to Mayor Wyman and Director Scandrett. After the shooting was investigated by the police and found to have been an accident, Steuernagel was allowed to go on his own recognizance.

Hein was appointed to the police force during the first administration of Mayor Wyman in 1889. He served about a year as an officer on No. 1 patrol wagon and later was assigned to a beat on Troy Hill, where he continued to do patrol duty for 11 years. He was then transferred to the Spring Garden district. He is survived by his second wife, whom he married 14 years ago, after the death of his first wife, a son, Martin, aged 18 years, a daughter, Mrs. Charles Haufeld, and a grandchild.

Hein's remains were removed to his home, 314 Spring Garden avenue, last evening.

The Death Roll.

Funeral of Frank W. Smith.

Funeral services will be held over the remains of Frank W. Smith, a former member of the Pittsburgh bar, at 2 p. m. today at his late home, 5238 Westminster street, East End. Attorney Smith died at 5:45 p. m. Wednesday at his home. He was a son of the late Attorney C. E. M. Smith and was born in Ninth street, this city, 53 years ago. After graduating at the public schools he entered the Western University of Pennsylvania, graduating in 1872. He then studied law under his father and was admitted to practice in 1877. Mr. Smith married Miss Bertha Lewis of this city, who, with two brothers, Attorneys Albert Y. and Edwin W. Smith, and a sister, Miss Ida M. Smith, survive. Mr. Smith was a trustee of the Third Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh, and was a member of the Union and Bohemian clubs of this city, and of the Allegheny County Bar association.

Funeral of Harry J. King.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a. m. today over the remains of Harry J. King at the home of Henry Lloyd, 259 North Dithridge street, Bellefield. Mr. King, who was for many years a business man of Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, died at Atlantic City on Wednesday. He was born at Bedford, Pa., and was a son of Judge King. He came to Pittsburgh in his youth and married Miss Martha Lloyd, who survives him. Mr. King was a member of Franklin lodge 231, F. and A. M., and of Tancred Commandery No. 48. He was also a member of the Bellefield Presbyterian church. Two sisters and a brother survive him.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Martha G. Phillips, widow of John Phillips, died this morning at 12:30 o'clock at the family residence, Davis avenue and Brighton Road.

Mrs. W. H. Snyder of Rankin has received word of the death of her father, Isaac Bowerstock, in Burlington, Ia. He was the father of Congressman J. D. Bowerstock of Iowa.

Patrick J. Henry, aged 28, is dead at his home, 1314 Vickroy street. He was a member of Duquesne Council 264, Knights of Columbus, and of the Church of the Epiphany.

John Murphy, aged 70, is dead at the home of his daughter, 2819 Carey alley, South Side. He was a native of England. A son and daughter survive. He was a member of the Holy Cross Catholic church.

Mrs. Margaret Wilson Warren, aged 63, widow of Robert Warren, is dead at the home of her son, Thomas A. Warren, 917 North Euclid avenue, East End, after an illness of 16 years. She was a native of Pittsburgh, and is survived by three sons.

Mrs. Julia Eyth, aged 70, widow of John B. Eyth, is dead at the family home, 4823 Second avenue. She came to this country from Germany in 1858. She was a member of St. Stephen's Catholic church, Hazelwood, and is survived by five daughters.

Will Delay Patrick's Death.

ALBANY, June 15.—The court of appeals today fixed upon the week beginning Monday, August 7, as the period during which shall take place the execution at Sing Sing prison of Albert T. Patrick for the murder of William M. Rice.

Ex-Senator David B. Hill is taking further steps toward a motion for reargument and will certainly secure either a reprieve or a stay of execution. This would defer the matter until October.

Week End Excursions,
Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R. R.
Ashtabula and return, $2.50; Erie, $3.00; North East, $3.25. Valid all trains Saturday, also Sunday morning at 8 a. m. and 10 a. m.; city time. Good to return Sunday evening or any train Monday. Valid on the famous Buffalo Limited.

BETHANY CONFERS DEGREE ON DR. WILLIAM J. HOLLAND

Others Also Honored by the West Virginia Institution—List of Graduates.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WELLSBURG, W. VA., June 15.—Bethany college today conferred the honorary degree of doctor of laws on Dr. William J. Holland, director of the Carnegie museum of Pittsburgh, and Prof. George P. Coler of the Michigan State university. The honorary degree of master of arts was given Prof. McElroy of Bethany, Prof. C. G. Cole of Lynchburg, Va.; Prof. E. Fox of Los Angeles, Cal.; and the Rev. J. G. Slater of Akron, O.

George Jacobs of Fairmont, and T. M. Allen of Charleroi were elected to fill vacancies on the board of trustees. President Cramblett reported the institution to be on a firmer financial basis than ever before.

The graduates were: Bachelor of arts, classical—Harvey Brown, Toronto, O.; Emerson Hess, Uniontown, Pa.; John Monroe, Wheeling; Estel Saylor, Audobon, O.; Sherman S. Williams, Howard, Pa.; Richard Wynne, Jr., Bethany. Bachelor of arts, ministerial—Howard G. Connelly, Baltimore; Gerald H. Culbertson, Atlanta, Ga.; Nathan S. Decker, Jennison, Mich.; Henry F. Keltch, Dayton, O.; George Steel, Norfolk, Va. Bachelor of science—William B. Hendershott, Parkersburg, W. Va. Bachelor of letters—Catherine Scott, Bethany; Sarah Scott, Charleroi, Pa. Master of arts—F. M. Pitman, East Liverpool, O.; Oldham, Ebensburg, Pa. Bachelor of music—Anna Kemp, Wheeling; A. H. Smith, Mt. Pleasant, Ia. Commercial department—Gladys Cochran, Bond, Md.; Effie Cooper, Ella, W. Va.; Albert E. Dunham, Paulding, O.; Ellsworth Johnson, Flushing, O.; Elbert Johnson, Bethany; Bertha E. Lewis, Braddock, Pa.; Gail Mansfield, Hendrysburg, O. Elocution—Mayme Hoffman, Circleville.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Julius Schrieber	Pittsburgh
Fannie Levine	Pittsburgh
Elmer O. Lang	Johnstown
Margaret L. Fleck	Somerset
R. G. McCabe	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth A. Shaw	Pittsburgh
Thomas R. Mackey	Pittsburgh
Lillian M. Zink	Knoxville
Otto N. Eller	Baldwin Twp.
Barbara Miller	Carrick
Oscar G. Berg	Braddock
Anna C. Paulson	Wooster, Mass.
Alfred G. James	Pittsburgh
Fannie Hoard	Pittsburgh
Frank S. McDonald	Allegheny
Barbara Kumpf	Pittsburgh
Edward M. Gartley	Sheraden
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Nothing helps to allay the discomforts of a sweltering day more than the right kind of Underwear—right materials and right fit.

Special attention to those features.

Women's Knit Vests—low neck, no sleeves, fancy stripe or lace trimmed, 25c.

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Vests, 7c—4 for 25c—10, 12½, 15 and 18c each, three for 50c.

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Women's Vests, 7c to $6.75.

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Men's Summer Under Shirts and Drawers, 25c to $4.00—Balbriggan, Lisle and Silk.

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BESSEMER ORDER FOR STEEL TIES

Ten Miles of Railroad Will Be Equipped at Once With Carnegie Steel Product.

MEANS SUCCESS OF PLANS

The proof of the success of the steel railroad tie and the creation, therefore, of a large new market for steel is found in an order just placed by the Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company with the Carnegie Steel Company for 10 miles of ties. The order amounts to about 2,100 tons.

The standard section adopted by the Carnegie Steel Company for its steel tie is a modified rolled I-beam, made precisely as structural shapes. In this method of production there is economy sufficient to enable the company to market it at a reasonable figure.

The order follows a test of a half-mile of this style of steel tie on the Bessemer for the past six months. There has been another style of steel tie under test on the Bessemer for several years. The Lake Shore, the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, the New York Central and the Pennsylvania have all been making tests along the same line, and the results are said to have been satisfactory.

The order placed by the Bessemer is the largest one ever given for steel ties, and was not made until the safety of the proposition had been established beyond doubt. Arrangements are made to have seven miles of the new ties placed on a stretch of second track now being constructed from Claytonia to Jamisonville, in Butler county. Side by side for several miles on the other track will be laid several miles of the best type wooden tie track and the comparative value of the two will be thus demonstrated.

The remaining three miles of the steel tie will be distributed at points where the heavy traffic will best demonstrate the quality of the ties in actual use.

The start of conditions which pointed to the steel tie as the future type of construction dates back several years when the timber question first began to be discussed. It was foreseen that the country could not continue depleting its forests and still have enough timber left to keep up the supply. Railroad ties are each year one of the heaviest drains upon the forests. Many designs of steel ties have been made and the general proposition has been shown by American experience to be a good one. America is far behind Europe in this practice, however, as steel ties have been used abroad for 35 years.

The European experience has furnished the basis for one of the strongest arguments in the new tie's favor. It is claimed that the life of the steel tie will be 50 years at least, whereas it is well known that under ordinary conditions a wooden tie is good for only seven years. As the first cost is but about twice that of the wooden tie and the life seven times as long the economy is evident.

SIX ARCHITECTS DRAW PLANS FOR NEW TEMPLE

Prof. Laird Will Select Winning Design for Jewish House of Worship.

Six firms of architects have been selected by the building committee to submit designs for the new temple of the Jewish congregation Rodoph Shalom, to be erected in Fifth avenue, between Bidwell and Morewood avenues. Two Pittsburgh firms are included in the list, which was announced yesterday. These are Charles Bickel, who is well-known as the designer of the group of 40 warehouses being erected by the Pittsburgh Terminal Warehouse and Transfer Company, and of many business structures downtown, and Allison & Allison, who have planned many costly church and public buildings in the Pittsburgh district. Palmer & Hornbostel of New York and Pittsburgh, who are the architects for the Carnegie Technical schools, will also have a chance to carry off the architectural prize. The other architects named are George B. Post & Sons, of New York; Albert Kahn of Detroit and Filcher & Tachau of New York.

A program embracing the conditions of the competition and the general wishes of the congregation is being prepared by the building committee, and will be sent to the architects named in a few days. This program has been prepared under the direction of Prof. Warren P. Laird, of the University of Pennsylvania, who conducted a similar competition in the Carnegie Technical school competition. He will act as supervising architect throughout the competition. The contest will be opened next week, and will be closed early in September, as it is the intention to start the temple this fall.

The award will be made strictly on the merits of the plans submitted. No preference will be shown in any way, and the architects will not be hampered with any troublesome restrictions architecturally. They have been selected and invited to enter the competition so that the congregation may have the best possible design for their costly temple.

This competition will be one of the most interesting ever held in the country, and in architectural circles it has been the subject of much discussion for two weeks. The building committee of the temple, which will have direct oversight of the project, is composed of nine members, Marcus Aaron being chairman and Nathaniel Spear secretary.

Government Charters Ship.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The immense quantity of material which the government will ship to the isthmus of Panama during the construction of the canal has made it necessary to increase the transportation facilities between this city and Colon. Already one additional steamer, the City of Savannah, has been chartered.

American travelers have for many years been used to railroad folders and descriptive pamphlets issued by the railways for the purpose of setting forth the scenic and historic attractions of the country through which the railroad passes. This method of stimulating travel and of attracting business has hitherto been unknown in Europe, but the German railways, which really represent the modern spirit of railway traveling on the continent of Europe, have now followed the American example and are distributing sets of very prettily gotten up pamphlets illustrating and describing all the sights worth seeing along the line of the different roads. The purpose of these pamphlets is to call the attention of non-Germans to the innumerable interesting sights in the different parts of Germany and to give a short description of them. The numerous illustrations—excellent half-tones—show the great care with which these little books have been prepared. They do not contain any advertisements and may be had in sets of six books.

No. 1. Decribing Northwest Germany, particularly Hamburg and Bremen.
No. 2. Berlin and Eastern Germany (Riesengebirge and Saxony).
No. 3. Central Germany (Harz and Thuringia).
No. 4. Western Germany (the Rhine to Frankfort).
No. 5. Southwestern Germany (the Rhine to Bale, Alsace, Hessen, Baden).
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FAMOUS PRIEST'S MEMORY HONORED IN QUIET PRAYER

Thirteenth Anniversary of the Death of Father Mollinger of St. Anthony's Chapel Observed by His Former Patients.

Because of the anniversary of the death of the Rev. Father Mollinger, who made St. Anthony's chapel on Troy Hill, Allegheny, famous the world over for its many miraculous cures, falling during Pentecost week, no public services were held in the chapel in honor of his memory yesterday. Father Mollinger died June 15, 1892, and at the time was rector of the Most Holy Name Catholic church on Troy Hill. The Rev. Father John Duffner, the present rector, will hold the usual services in the chapel next week, but so far has not set the date. The week of Pentecost is one of rejoicing in the Catholic church and for that reason no masses are offered for the dead during the period.

Father Mollinger, previous to studying for the Catholic priesthood, was a Spanish sea captain. After taking charge of the church on Troy Hill he instituted a special devotion to St. Anthony for the benefit of the sick, blind and lame. During his rectorship the shrine on the top of Allegheny's highest hill attracted thousands of persons who sought the aid of the famous priest to learn what they should do to be restored to health.

On St. Anthony's feast day the chapel which Father Mollinger built out of the contributions of the pilgrims to the shrine, special services were held by him and have been continued by his successor and last Tuesday the chapel was visited by nearly 3,000 people. In past years many pilgrims who came from afar on crutches and stretchers to worship at the shrine, walked away without assistance. Among the great crowds which now visit the chapel are often found people who have found health in body and limb there.

The chapel was open yesterday and many persons stopped in for a few moments to offer a prayer for the peace of the soul of the old priest. Many of those who stopped were people who were carried to the shrine on their first visit.

GRACEY AND HIS GIRL.

Mulatto Held for Court on Four Charges and White Woman Is Also to Be Prosecuted.

Harry Gracey, the mulatto burglar who was arrested Monday, was held yesterday by Magistrate Meke on four charges of entering a building with intent to commit a felony and committed to jail. Susie Taylor, the young white girl, his companion, is still at the Central station. Information will be made against her in a few days for receiving stolen goods.

The detectives are determined to make an example of Gracey. He never associated with any of his race. His spare time was spent with his white sweetheart. For this reason, the detectives say, his capture was made difficult. Gracey is a daring man. He always carried a revolver, and told his sweetheart he would never be taken alive. When he did not return home Monday night she went to the morgue early Tuesday morning, thinking he had been shot down by an officer.

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$10.00 Round Trip, tickets good 16 days. Stop-overs permitted at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington on return trip.

DIED IN POVERTY.

Grecian Chamber Will Extend Aid to Family of Murdered Premier Delyannis.

ATHENS, GREECE, June 15.—The late Premier Delyannis who was assassinated June 13 by Gherakaris, the gambler, died in absolute poverty. The chamber will vote a pension to the immediate members of his family.

One of the proprietors of the gambling houses with which the murderer was connected, was arrested today. He gave the police the names of the instigators of the premier's assassination.

President Lenient to Officer.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The president has remitted the sentence of dismissal imposed upon First Lieut. Earle W. Tanner, Seventeenth infantry, who was tried in the Philippines on charges of conduct unbecoming an officer. The president says his offense does not warrant such severe sentence. The fact that the officer sacrificed rank in order to secure service in the Philippines where there were active operations, further influenced the president. He is the son of Former Commissioner of Pensions Tanner.

DENIES LOOMIS WAS INVOLVED

Owner of Claims Mixed Up in Present Dispute Explains the Entire Transaction.

REFUSED BOWEN A STATEMENT

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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CARACAS, June 15.—Lorenzo Mercado, who figures in the Bowen-Loomis affair as the owner of the claim against the government of Venezuela that Mr. Loomis is charged with having bought, has arrived from a trip to the interior of the republic, where he has mining interests. Mr. Mercado was shown the letter from Mr. Loomis to Mr. Russell and made the following statement for publication:

"Loomis had nothing whatever to do with my claim. I sold it to Aristides Tello, a Venezuelan lawyer, and to Mr. Jaurett, editor of a Caracas newspaper. I know that it was all taken by a group of foreigners here. Mr. Bowen at the time of my visit to Washington, in 1903, called on me and asked me to furnish him with evidence to the effect that Loomis had had business relations with me and with other persons here. I answered that I would explain the operation to Mr. Hay, and Mr. Bowen became very indignant."

Mr. Mercado, on being requested to make a written declaration, wrote a letter in which he says:

"Toward the end of the year 1899 the government of Venezuela owed to me the amount of 496,677 bolivars, of which it decided to pay me on account the sum of 160,000 and agreed to give me in payment a surplus which existed in the Spanish legation in salt bonds, which I accepted and to which effect an agreement was signed between Mr. J. A. Olavarria, minister of the treasury in Venezuela, and Mr. William W. Russell, charge d'affaires in charge of the American legation in this capital, whom I gave power to receive from the Spanish legation at the opportune moment the indicated amount which was to be paid to me.

"I make it known that the American legation did not intervene in any way with my treatment with the government for the collection of this amount, and that only after it was all arranged did I speak to Mr. Russell of the matter and he had in this matter no diplomatic, but purely friendly intervention.

"Former Minister Loomis had nothing whatever to do with this operation, neither did he with the agreement that I signed with the government on the same subject. It has been stated that Mr. Loomis has participated inn these operations. It is my duty and obligation to deny in the most formal way possible the referred-to statements."

WASHINGTON, June 15.—(Special.)—Efforts are being made by the Bowen side in the Bowen-Loomis controversy to shatter the explanation given by Acting Secretary of State Loomis, as to the $5,000 check from the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company. Copies of state department records, with other papers, were filed late yesterday afternoon with Secretary Taft, which close friends of Bowen allege will nullify Mr. Loomis' explanation that the transaction was one of exchange on Mr. Loomis' departure from Caracas as minister. The purpose is to show that the check was issued at a date previous to the first intimation given to Mr. Loomis, as shown by the records of the state department, that he was to return to this country.

U. S. GOVERNMENT MUST OBEY THE SMOKE LAW

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The court of appeals of the District of Columbia today held that the smoke law of the District applied to government buildings as well as to private establishments. The case came up on an appeal by Frank W. Palmer, public printer and custodian of the government printing office, from a judgment of the police court convicting him of a violation of the smoke law. Answering the contention of the government that its executive officers were not subject to municipal regulations, the court declared that no class of officials was above the law.

Heiner Denies He Was Called Down.

Daniel B. Heiner, collector of internal revenue for this district, yesterday stated he has not refused to assist Dr. J. Warren, state dairy and food commissioner, in detecting and arresting persons and firms guilty of violating the state pure food laws. Collector Heiner also states he has received no instructions, orders or requests to explain to Washington why he has refused to assist the Pennsylvania commission.

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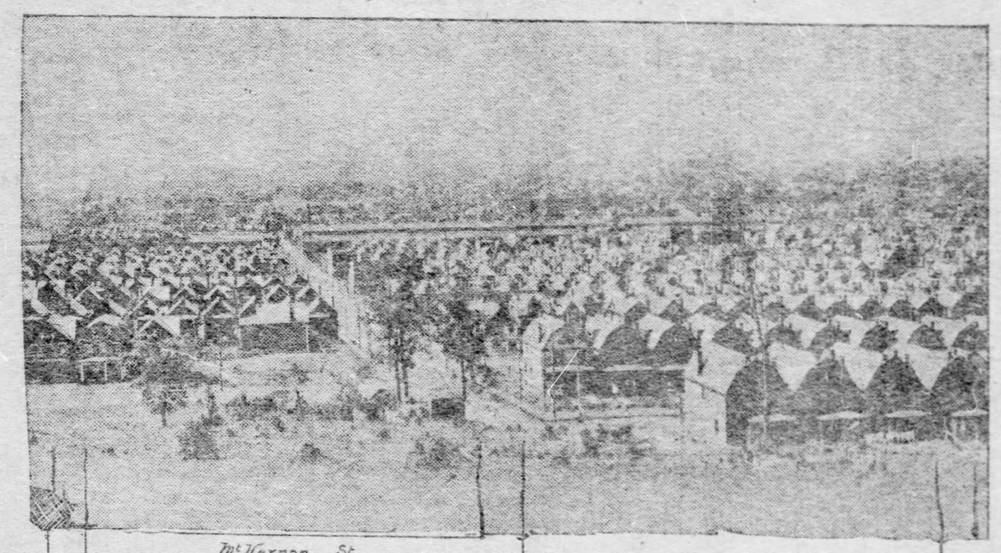

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KRUGER RAISES UNUSUAL ISSUE

Convict Charged With Killing Fellow-Prisoner Refuses to Go on Trial Monday.

CONSPIRACY CASE IS HEARD

If Paul Kruger, the convict who is charged with killing a fellow convict in the Western Penitentiary last March, is forced to trial next Monday the court will have a most perplexing question to determine, and a higher court may have to decide one of the most interesting questions of legal jurisprudence that has come before it in many years.

The trial of the case was set for next Monday, but Kruger asserts that he will make no defense, refuse to plead, and will not be tried unless he can have Attorney W. H. McGary to defend him. He refused to give any information to Attorney William M. Price, appointed by the court to look after Kruger's interests after Attorney McGary refused to continue in the case.

Novel Point to Decide.

Attorney McGary had been engaged to defend Kruger, and on Wednesday he asked Judge Kennedy to postpone the case for three weeks, stating that the case was not ready for trial, as a number of important witnesses for the defense had not been secured. Judge Kennedy absolutely refused the postponement, saying the court cases were running smoothly now according to schedule, and he did not want to make any change. McGary, it is alleged, left the court in anger after formally withdrawing from the case, and Attorney Price was appointed by Judge Kennedy to defend Kruger.

Kruger was enraged when Mr. Price visited him in his cell at the county jail, and said that the case would have to be postponed, as he would have no one but McGary to defend him. He refused to give Price any information that would assist in defending the case, nor would he give the names of his fellow convicts who could aid him with their testimony.

Attorney Price reported the matter to Judge Kennedy yesterday, and the court appeared non-plussed at the strange turn of events, and told Mr. Price to make another attempt to induce Kruger to accept him as attorney.

Attorneys who discussed the case said it was a question if Kruger could be forced to trial under the circumstances, and if tried, some thought he would have good grounds on which to ask for a new trial or to appeal, if convicted. The district attorney, however, can elect to call or postpone a case at his pleasure, and Kruger has no more rights than any other accused man under the circumstances.

Although not present in court, and supposed to be in Canada, Henry Weinstock was put on trial before Judge McClung in criminal court on charges growing out of his financial troubles. Weinstock gained considerable notoriety recently by bankruptcy proceedings. The jury was sworn as though Weinstock was present, and although objected to by attorneys for the defense, was allowed to stand. If convicted, the verdict will possibly be set aside because of this almost unprecedented action, but this, prosecuting counsel says, will make no difference, as they have other cases against him.

There were several other defendants to the suit present. These are Abraham Fushan, Jacob Sloan and his wife, Sophie. They are represented by Attorneys John C. Haymaker, J. A. Langfitt, William A. Blakeley, Franklin Adams and John C. Bane. The commonwealth is represented by District Attorney R. E. Stewart and Attorneys John Marron and A. C. Stein.

Contention of the Prosecution.

Alexander Stewart, credit man for Arbuthnot-Stephenson Co., is the prosecuting witness, his company being one of Weinstock's creditors. Conspiracy is the charge brought, and in opening the case Attorney Stein said that it was expected to prove that the three defendants present, with Weinstock and others not apprehended, comprised a clever swindling band, by Weinstock opening a furniture store at 1034 Fifth avenue and buying $20,000 worth of goods on the usual terms of credit. For two months, he claimed, Weinstock posed as a merchant, and when there was between $15,000 and $18,000 in bills due, conveyed the store to the Sloans. The defendants, he alleged, got the store for $4,000, while they said the goods invoiced at $5,400 and were sold at any price they would bring.

In the meantime bankruptcy proceedings were instituted against Weinstock, who had disappeared. The proceedings, Mr. Stein alleged, showed the goods to be worth $14,000.

Stewart testified that his firm sold Weinstock goods amounting to over $500. J. Kobansky, the owner of the building leased, testified that he leased the store after being informed by Sloan that it was all right to do so. He testified also that he went on Weinstock's note for $1,500 on his representation that the stock was clear, and had to pay the note. He said the Sloans told him that Weinstock was able to pay and he (Sloan) would indorse the note, but was unable to do so at the time.

Other witnesses familiar with the sale of furniture told of the ridiculously low prices the goods were sold at, and to the apparent connection of the other defendants in Weinstock's affairs.

Jurors Had Read the Papers.

Under agreement of counsel two verdicts were entered in United States circuit court in the appeal of Nathaniel G. McCrum vs. the United States. The case concerns the value of land at lock No. 1 on Second avenue, and turns on what is to be considered the high water line. Two of the jurors had read the morning paper accounts of the suits yesterday, and when court opened Judge Buffington ascertained this. The court did not think it fair to continue the trial under these circumstances with this jury, as some of them might be influenced by what they had read concerning awards of former viewers and the approximate value of the land. The case, he said, could go on with 10 men on the jury or could be continued.

After a conference of the attorneys the plan of entering two verdicts was agreed upon. One verdict gives McCrum $6,649 and is based on the high water line established by the United States corps of engineers, and known as the roaring rag line. The other is for $21,5178 50, and is based on the line established by the commissioner for Pennsylvania, under the state act of 1858. The court is to decide which is the proper line under existing conditions. Each party reserves the right to prosecute a writ of error.

Processes for 19 persons were issued by Judge J. M. Kennedy in criminal court, they not being present when cases in which they were interested were called. The court intimated that the business of criminal court must not be delayed by the tardiness of those interested, and that in the future there would likely be trouble for absentees.

Small Verdict in Big Suit.

A verdict for $10 was returned for the plaintiff in the case of the Steel Car Forge Company against the Press Steel Car Company in the United States circuit court. The suit was to recover $50,000 for alleged breach of a contract, under which the plaintiff was to furnish the defendant with forgings for 10 years. The case was before the court for 10 days, and the jury was out over night before reaching a verdict.

James Kennedy and James Reiley, aged 16, residing in Geneva street, Lawrenceville, were tried on a charge of felonious assault and found guilty of unlawful wounding. The boys, it is claimed, shot John Bast, an 11-year-old Italian, through the head with a flobert rifle. The boys were shooting at a tin can in the street and asked the Italian, who was passing, to set up the mark which had been knocked down. While he was about to do so one of the boys fired a shot from the rifle, the bullet penetrating young Bast's brain. The injured boy was in the hospital nearly four months, and the physicians regarded his recovery as remarkable. Kennedy and Reiley will be sentenced on Saturday.

The case of Mrs. Clara Pitcairn, who charged Mary Davis with the larceny by bailee of $1,200 worth of household goods, is on trial and will go to the jury this morning. Mrs. Pitcairn claims that while serving a term in the workhouse she left her house and furniture in charge of Miss Davis, and that the latter disposed of the stuff.

Bennie and Morris Armovitz, McKeesport junk dealers, were tried on a charge of receiving stolen goods. They were alleged to have purchased a quantity of brass fittings which had been stolen from the Colonial Steel Company. Bennie was convicted, but a verdict of not guilty was rendered as regards Morris. George Smith was found guilty of a misdemeanor in failing to account for $57 he had collected as agent of the Pittsburgh Sick and Accident Union, and was sentenced 60 days to the workhouse.

Other cases were: Robert Stewart, larceny, sent to Huntingdon reformatory; G. E. Witmer, assault and battery, fined $20 and costs. Daniel Connors, Michael Malleck, William O'Brien, larceny, each one year to the workhouse; Harry Knoles, larceny, sent to Huntingdon reformatory.

Two Divorces Granted.

Decrees in divorce were granted in the cases of Theresa Meinel against George Meinel, and Barry F. Shafer against Eleanor Shafer, desertion being alleged in each. Libels in divorce were filed by Louis Schmidt against Alice Schmidt, and Joseph E. Cole against Margaret Ferree Cole on grounds of desertion.

Charles Cook, Leonard Mowrey and Lee Crummy, trustees of the Methodist Protestant church of Bakerstown, Pa., filed a bill in equity against Denny and Bella Logan, asking that they be restrained from closing up an alley leading to the church. The church is in the rear of the Logans' property and it is alleged the alley in question has been used for over 50 years, but that recently the defendants erected a fence across the alley.

Because his horse was trampled on and injured by another horse, Meyer Friedman brought suit against Max Mosenson asking $300 damages. The defendant conducts a boarding stable at 54 Crawford street. Friedman alleges a horse got loose and trampled on his horse, which was lying down in the stall.

In the United States district court the Lotte & Foley Company, against whom involuntary bankruptcy proceedings were filed a week ago, presented a schedule of their accounts, showing their liabilities are $36,983 22 and their assets $51,207 30.

A jury was drawn in United States circuit court to sit on the case of the Goff-Kirby Coal Company of Cleveland against the Pittsburgh Gas and Coke Company, to recover $58,190 30 damages for the alleged breaking of a contract. The Cleveland concern claims they contracted to take nearly the entire output of the Pittsburgh company in crushed coke, but that the contract was not fulfilled.

The grand jury returned true bills as follows: Perjury, William Curtin; riot, Andy Montanko; embezzlement, W. Perry Lamley, D. S. Mitchell; false pretense, William Voelelk, Frank May; felonious assault, Marion Marshall, Fred Johnston, J. E. Bennett, Frank Roy, H. K. Snyder; entering a building, Joe Nowak, Walter Neskophi; aggravated assault and battery, L. S. McConnell; conspiracy, Elias Fersan et al.; larceny, John Miller, W. D. Sulley; assault and battery, Mary McCune, J. T. Moore, Edward Ritko, Kitty Keys, Rene Richardson; larceny by bailee, W. C. Richards, D. S. Mitchell, Laura Price; malicious mischief, D. C. Meanor, Fred Schopberg; misdemeanor, Arthur Morton, Thomas Davis, Andy McCue, Thomas Durko, Morris Gross.

Executions issued: Jacob P. Nill for use of Krantz Brewing Company, vs. J. F. Ward, $3,403 86; Industrial National bank of Pittsburgh vs. H. Gottlieb, $519 82; Mary L. Bruecker vs. Louisa A. Ebbert, $1,800; Mary D. Brown vs. Ernest W. F. Wolfe, deceased, $979 79; Anna M. Dallenback, adm., vs. William M. McCutcheon, $5,326 57; Louis I. Aaron vs. Herman J. Desh, $7,000; P. J. McNulty vs. John B. McNulty, $787 97; William Sheaffer vs. Grace A. Sutmeyer, $6,017; George C. Norris vs. George L. French, $230.

No testimony was taken yesterday afternoon in the suit of John L. Schuff of Cincinnati against the Grant and Liberty Street Railway Company, which is being heard in private before Commissioner Gamble in the United States circuit court, the case being postponed because one of the attorneys concerned is sick. It is said the defendant company wants to hear Schuff's testimony and the Voters Civic league has agreed to produce him on Monday. The attorneys claim that Schuff did not bring suit of his own volition, but was urged to do it by the Voters Civic league. They are anxious to get Mr. Schuff on the witness stand and are also anxious that the hearings be held in public. It is intended to give out all the testimony, but the court wants every person concerned to get an equal show when the testimony is made public.

MAKES NIGHT ATTACK ON FORTRESS MONROE

Admiral Dickins' Invading Fleet Opens on Defense With Entire Fighting Strength.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

FORT MONROE, VA., June 15.—An attack in force was made on Fortress Monroe tonight by Admiral Dickin's fleet. Practicaly the entire fighting strength of his fleet was employed. His battle formation was the same as that at Forts Washington and Hunt, the torpedo destroyers in the lead, the monitors next, then the Texas, cruiser and gunboats.

The first attack in force on Fort Monroe took place this morning at 7 o'clock. Eight of the biggest ships of Admiral Dickins' squadron formed an arc of a circle between Cape Henry and Cape Charles. All of them headed for the fort and advanced at slow speed. The forming operation, although far out, was plainly visible, and everything was ready in ample time to meet the attack. The first gun was fired at 7:10 and for a half hour a long range bombardment continued.

While Admiral Dickins was gathering the larger units of his fleet in the lower Chesapeake last night he was not idle at the Washington and Baltimore defenses. The Siren landed a company of marines at Marshall Hall, Md., who immediately proceeded to capture the army signal station at that place. Previous to this the Siren had made several attempts to cut the cable, the means of communication between Forts Hunt and Washington, and, according to the army's computation of its artillery fire, the ship had been put out of action several times. It was for this reason that a protest was made by the captured signal station personnel, and a case for future settlement by the joint board has been made.

PASS RAILROAD ORDINANCES.

Measures Occasioned by Ft. Wayne Bridge Receive Official Sanction.

Allegheny common council last night passed finally all the measures occasioned by the bridge over the Ft. Wayne tracks at Washington avenue and Segwick street, except those requiring a three-fourths vote, two containing the word "street" instead of "terrace" after St. Clair, and one for the regrading and repaving of Pennsylvania avenue. The ordinance vacating about 400 feet of the New Brighton road, alongside the Uniondale cemetery, was referred back to the committee on surveys, it being stated that the cemetery company wants to acquire the property to be vacated without remunerating the city. It is said to be worth $25,000.

Upon the call of wards President Samuel McElroy introduced ordinances creating a policemen's disability board and a firemen's and electricians' disability board. Both are similar to those in operation in Pittsburgh. They were referred as was an ordinance for a new engine house in the Fourteenth ward.

The Truth about Whiskey

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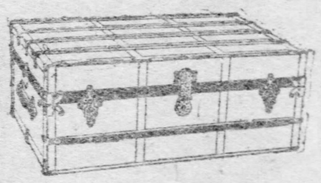

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Proposals for meat will be: First, good quality of boiling beef, not to contain more than 25 per cent bone; second, to be free from bone and fat, accompanied by such an amount of soup bone as the warden shall direct.

The board reserves the right to consider either proposition in the interest of the county. All supplies to be subject to the approval of the warden and be furnished in such quantities and at such times as he shall direct. For further information, inquire at the county jail. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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County Controller.

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THE PIRATES ARE SLOWLY SLIPPING OUT OF THIRD PLACE

FAILURE TO HIT BRINGS SHUTOUT

Pittinger's Curves Prove Too Puzzling for Pirates, Who Secure But Three Hits.

SAM LEEVER IS BUMPED HARD

The battle for second place between the Pirates and Quakers was opened yesterday and the visitors walked off with the first game of the series, 7 to 0. This result was obtained through the masterly pitching of Charley Pittinger, who once claimed Greensburg as his home. Pittinger's work was so good that the best the locals could get was three hits, scattered through the nine innings in such a way that but one runner got as far as second base and none got beyond that station.

There was a crowd of 3,190 out to see the game, and they saw the Quakers play rings around the Pirates both at bat and in the field. The playing of the visitors was clean cut and was full of ginger, which was quite the opposite of the Pirates, who seemed to be working under a spell cast upon them by Pittinger, and try as they might they could not get out of it. The efforts of Heine Peitz to awaken Clarke's players from the stupor in which they seemed to be were unavailing, and the exhibition put up was like unto the amateurish display during the Boston series.

It is generally the case that when a team is not hitting things go wrong in all the departments of the game, and that was the trouble with the Pirates yesterday. An illustration of how bad their work was in spots was shown in the seventh inning, when Roy Thomas planted a single in left field and got all the way around the bases on a wild throw by Clarke. This play was in a measure accounted for by the fact that at the time the field was almost enveloped in darkness from threatening rain clouds, and it was difficult for the players to see the ball.

This darkness, however, did not seem to affect either the batting or fielding eyes of the Quakers, who pulled in fly balls of all kinds, and at bat they made things so warm for Sam Leever that he must have wished he was back in the school room again. The fielding of the Quakers, particularly of Doolin at shortstop, was a treat. This young player accepted the most difficult chances with ease, and reached out for the great Hans Wagner. The other Quakers also contributed their full share toward the victory.

Homer Hillebrand started in to do the catching for the local team, but in the third inning he was disabled by being spiked by Magee and was forced to retire with a badly injured foot, which may keep him out of the game for some weeks. Magee was on third base when Bransfield, who was at bat, drove a hot one at Wagner, who shot the ball to the plate, and Magee, in sliding to the base, caught Hillebrand on the left foot with his spikes and almost tore the shoe off the foot. Hillebrand retired to the clubhouse, where the injured foot was cared for by the club physician, and Peitz finished the game back of the bat.

Roy Thomas scored the first run for the Quakers in the opening inning, when he smashed one of Leever's curves to deep middle field for three bases and scored on Gleason's out at first. In the third, with one out, Magee beat out a bunt, stole second, went to third on a balk, and scored on a wild throw by Wagner. This was the play where Hillebrand was injured. The visitors scored again in the sixth, this time securing three runs. With one out Titus hit down the third base line for two bases and scored when Magee planted a single in left. Bransfield followed with a hot drive to Leever, who tried to get Magee at second, but failed. A single by Doolin brought Magee in with the second run. Bransfield went to third on the hit and scored on a sly-out.

The Quakers scored again in the seventh when Thomas singled to left and went all the way around on a wild throw by Clarke. The seventh and last run was scored in the eighth inning, which Magee led off with a single and got around on singles by Bransfield and Doolin. The score:

Pitts'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Clymer, r..	0	0	1	1	0	Thomas, m.	2	2	3	0	0
Clarke, l...	0	0	5	0	1	Gleason, 2..	0	1	1	1	0
T'mont, m.	0	1	2	0	0	Courtney, 3.	0	0	0	4	0
Leach, 3..	0	0	1	1	0	Titus, r....	1	1	2	0	0
Wagner, 3.	0	0	3	2	1	Magee, l....	1	3	3	0	0
Howard, l.	0	0	1	9	0	Bransf'd, 1.	1	1	1	7	0
Ritchey, 2.	0	0	1	4	0	Doolin, s...	0	0	3	2	1
Hildeb'd, c	0	0	0	2	0	Kahoe, c...	0	0	5	1	0
Peitz, c...	0	0	0	3	0	Pittinger, c	0	0	0	1	0
Leever, p..	0	0	0	2	0						
Totals....	0	3	27	12	2	Totals....	7	11	27	7	0

Philadelphia	1	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	0	—	7
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0

Two-base hit—Titus. Three-base hit—Thomas. Bases on balls—Off Leever 1, off Pittinger 3. Balk—Leever. Stolen bases—Leach, Thomas, Magee. Struck out—By Leever 5, by Pittinger 3. Time of game—1:35. Umpire—Bausewine.

Cincinnati 3—Boston 2.

CINCINNATI, June 15.—Cincinnati won today's game in the tenth inning through a daring piece of base-running by Barry, who went from first to third on Kelley's sacrifice, after making a single, and scored on a short fly to center. Catcher Street was today returned to Cincinnati by Boston. Attendance 1,800. Score:

Cincinnati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Huggins, 2	0	1	8	4	0	Abb'to, s..	0	2	2	1	0
Barry, 1...	1	2	8	0	0	Doian, r....	0	0	2	0	0
Kelley, 1...	0	1	2	0	0	Delfanty, 1.	0	1	2	0	0
Seymo'r, m	1	1	1	0	0	Cannell, m.	0	1	1	0	0
Corcor'n, r	1	3	2	1	1	Tenney, 1...	1	1	11	3	0
Odwell, r..	0	0	1	0	0	Wolv'ton, s	0	2	1	1	0
Bridwell, s	0	0	2	2	0	Needh'm, c	1	2	7	3	0
Schlei, c...	0	1	6	4	0	Rayner, 2..	0	2	1	1	0
Ewing, p..	0	0	0	0	0	Young, p...	0	0	2	4	0
Totals....	3	11	20	15	1	Totals....	2	11*	29	13	0

*Two out when winning run was scored.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0—3
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0—2

Three-base hit—Corcoran. Stolen base—Bridwell. Double plays—Corcoran, Huggins and Barry; Huggins and Barry. Bases on balls—Off Ewing 1, off Young 2. Sacrifice hits—Caswell, Seymour, Kelley. Hit by pitched ball—By Ewing 1. Struck out—By Ewing 6, by Young 5. Wild pitch—Young 1. Time of game—1:5. Umpire—Emslie.

Chicago 10—Brooklyn 4.

CHICAGO, June 15.—The fielding of Brooklyn today was farcical, most of their errors being ludicrous. The locals hit both Scanlon and McIntyre freely with men on bases, and won easily. Attendance 2,500. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, m..	2	3	3	0	0	Dobbs, m...	0	1	2	0	0
Schulte, l..	3	2	2	0	0	Sheckard, l.	1	0	1	1	0
Maloney, r	1	2	0	1	0	Lumley, r..	0	0	0	0	1
Chance, 1..	1	2	7	2	0	Gessler, 1...	1	1	11	1	1
Tinker, s..	1	0	1	3	0	Batch, 3....	0	1	1	6	0
Evers, 2....	1	2	4	3	1	Hall, 2.....	1	0	2	4	3
Casey, 3....	0	0	1	2	0	Rabb, s.....	0	0	0	4	2
O'Neill, c..	0	0	7	1	0	Ritter, c...	1	3	6	3	0
Pfeffer, p..	0	0	0	0	0	Scanlon, p..	0	0	0	0	0
Reulba'h, p	0	0	0	2	1	McIntyre, p	1	0	0	1	0
*Hoffman	0	1	0	0	0						
Totals....	10	11	27	13	2	Totals....	4	7	24	15	6

*Batted for Pfeffer in the second.

Chicago	2	1	2	0	1	0	4	0	*	—10
Brooklyn	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—4

Hits off Pfeffer, 3 in 2 innings; off Reulbach, 4 in 7 innings; off Scanlon, 6 in 3 innings; off McIntyre, 5 in 5 innings. Left on bases—Chicago 6, Brooklyn 6. Two-base hits—Gessler, Slagle. Sacrifice hits—Casey, Scanlon. Stolen bases—Sheckard, Dobbs, Hall, Ritter, Scanlon, O'Neill, Maloney. Struck out—By Reulbach 5, by Scanlon 1, by McIntyre 3. Bases on balls—Off Pfeffer 2, off Reulbach 3, off McIntyre 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Pfeffer 1. Time of game—2:05. Umpire—O'Day.

St. Louis 5—New York 4.

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—With one out in the ninth inning and the score a tie, Grady made a two-base hit, went to third on Nichols' single and scored on Shay's hit over Mertes' head, winning the first game of the New York series for St. Louis 5 to 4. Attendance 5,100. The score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shay, s....	1	3	2	2	0	Browne, r..	1	2	2	0	0
Shannon, l.	0	0	2	0	0	Donlin, m..	0	1	0	0	0
Arndt, 2....	0	1	0	7	0	M'Gann, l..	1	1	14	1	0
Beckley, 1.	2	2	11	0	0	Bres'han, c.	1	1	3	3	0
Smoot, m..	0	0	2	0	0	Devlin, 3....	1	0	0	3	0
Ersin, 3....	0	1	1	2	0	Dahlen, s..	0	0	1	6	1
Clarke, r...	0	0	4	0	1	Mertes, l....	0	1	2	0	0
Grady, d...	2	1	2	1	0	Gilbert, 2...	0	1	2	3	1
Nichols, p.	0	0	1	1	0	Taylor, p...	0	0	1	3	0
Totals....	5	9	27	13	1	Totals....	4	8*	25	19	2

*One out when winning run was made.

St. Louis	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	—	5
New York	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	—4

Two-base hits—Shay, Donlin, Grady. Home run—Beckley. Sacrifice hits—Shannon, Donlin, Beckley. Stolen base—Bresnahan. Hit by pitched ball—By Taylor 2. Bases on balls—Off Taylor 1, off Nichols 2. Struck out—By Taylor 4, by Nichols 2. Left on bases—St. Louis 7, New York 6. Time of game—1:40. Umpires—Klem and Johnstone.

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Philadelphia	7	Pittsburgh	0
St. Louis	5	New York	4
Chicago	10	Brooklyn	4
Cincinnati	3	Boston	2

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York...	37	16	.698	Cincinnati ...	26	24	.535
Philadelphia.	29	20	.592	St. Louis.....	23	25	.434
Pittsburgh ...	30	24	.556	Boston	17	24	.358
Chicago	30	25	.545	Brooklyn	16	27	.302

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Detroit	5	Boston	1
St. Louis.....	5	Philadelphia	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland ...	23	14	.697	Boston	21	28	.477
Chicago	28	19	.596	New York....	18	26	.409
Philadelphia.	26	20	.565	Washington .	12	29	.396
Detroit	24	22	.522	St. Louis.....	18	29	.383

Detroit at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
Cleveland at Washington.
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M'KEESPORT IS BEATEN BY OHIO WORKS, 8 TO 1

YOUNGSTOWN, O., June 15.—(Special.)—McKeesport was easy for the Ohio Works this afternoon 8 to 1. The visitors played poorly and did a lot of kicking, which resulted in Smith going to the bench. Hollis was knocked off the rubber and Duff fared little better. Score:

Ohio Wks.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	M'Keesp't.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Blount, r..	0	3	2	0	0	Orbin, l....	0	0	1	0	0
Malon'y, m	1	2	5	0	0	Soffel, 2....	0	0	2	2	0
Phyle, 3....	0	2	1	0	1	Hartman, 3.	1	1	3	0	0
Starr, s....	1	1	2	1	0	Smith, l....	0	0	5	0	0
Whitney, l.	0	0	4	0	1	Ruffinge, c.	0	0	2	1	0
Hardy, c...	1	2	12	2	0	McClaren, s	0	1	6	3	0
M'Closy, 2.	1	0	0	2	0	Crum, r....	0	0	2	0	0
Thomas, l..	3	0	1	0	0	Kennedy, m	0	0	1	0	0
B.Tho's, p.	1	2	0	4	0	Piper, c-l..	0	1	4	0	0
						Hollis, p....	0	0	1	2	0
						Duff, p.....	0	0	0	1	1
Totals....	8	13	27	7	2	Totals.....	1	5	24	10	1

Ohio Works	1	2	0	3	0	2	1	0	*	—8
McKeesport	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hits—Hartman 2, Maloney. Stolen bases—Maloney, Phyle, Starr, Hardy, Hartman, Smith 3. Sacrifice hits—Starr, Whitney, W. Thomas, B. Thomas, Soffel. Left on bases—Ohio Works 6, McKeesport 2. Struck out—By Thomas 7, by Hollis 3, by Duff 1. Bases on balls—Off Thomas 5, off Hollis 2, off Duff 2. Innings pitched, by Thomas 9, by Hollis 5, by Duff 4. Double plays—McClarren (unassisted); Soffel, McClarren and Smith; Crum and Soffel. Umpire—Evans.

NILES, O., June 15.—(Special.)—Niles defeated Massillon in a game full of errors and loose playing on the part of the visitors. The score:

Niles.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Massillon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooper, m.	2	2	2	0	0	Burke, m...	0	0	2	0	1
Pat'son, l.	0	0	1	0	0	Kiley, l.....	1	2	3	0	0
Wood, c....	1	1	7	1	1	Drake, r....	1	3	0	0	0
Crow, r-p.	1	2	0	0	0	Flynn, 3...	1	0	3	1	2
Kruger, 2..	2	1	2	4	0	Dom'sky, s	1	2	1	2	1
Def'anty, 1.	1	2	1	1	0	Lalonge, 2..	0	1	3	3	0
Maag, s....	1	0	2	2	0	White, l....	0	3	11	0	1
M'Clin'k, 3	0	0	2	0	0	Brennan, c.	0	0	2	0	1
Whisner, p	0	0	10	1	1	Smith, p....	0	1	0	4	0
Totals....	10	8	27	9	2	Totals.....	4	12	24	10	7

Niles	0	0	0	4	0	4	2	0	*	—10
Massillon	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4

Three-base hit—Drake. Two base hits—Drake, Domorski 2, Lalonge, Kiley. Stolen bases—Cooper 2, Wood. Sacrifice hits—Crow, Flynn, Brannen. Bases on balls—Off Whisner 1, off Crow 1, off Smith 6. Struck out—By Whisner 4, by Crow 1, by Smith 1. Base hits—Off Whisner 9, off Crow 3, off Smith 8. Passed ball—Wood. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—O'Toole.

GREENSBURG, PA., June 15.—(Special.)—But for Hook's error in the ninth the G. A. A. baseline could have shut out the St. John's Lyceum team of Pittsburgh. Driestadt's catch of a fly in deep center and Shirey's steady work in the box were the features. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
G. A. A.....	1	2	1
St. John's	0	0	0

Batteries—Shirey and Bouser; Shelvin and Manning.

BELLEVERNON, PA., June 15.—(Special.)—Some good hitting on the part of the Pittsburgh Steel-Giants and some rank fielding on the part of the locals early in today's game made Bellevernon hustle to win. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Bellevernon	1	0	1
Steel Giants	4	2	0

Batteries—Wilkinson, Humphreies and Winfield; F. Coe and E. Coe. Umpire—Leamon.

Annual Field Events Tomorrow.

The annual field meet of Pittsburgh College students will occur tomorrow on the college campus at 2 o'clock. The finishing touch of the day will be a baseball game between the college team and Pittsburgh Lyceum.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Kosomas play West Bridgewater at Corsopolis, Pa., Saturday.

Riesville A. C. wants to know if the game with Southern A. C. is good for Saturday.

The Pittsburgh College Juniors defeated the Curry A. C. 8 to 7 in an 11-inning game.

The Hickey A. C. of Braddock will meet the Ramblers of Allegheny at Braddock on Saturday.

Minersville has Saturday open. Call James Coulter, 9805 Schenley, 1331-K, P. & A., between 6 and 9 p. m.

Loughridge A. C. are after a game at home grounds for Saturday. Call 9025 Wilkins after 6 p. m. and ask for Mayberry.

The Willow Groves would like to know direction to Lilac A. C. grounds. Please call up 462 North and ask for Ertenkamf.

The Land Trust Company and Guarantee Title and Trust Company teams will come together in a league game this evening on the Shadyside grounds.

The Pittsburgh Labor Lyceum team has no game for Saturday. Any strong team having grounds, Call Manager Harrington, Bell phone 8527 J, Hill.

The Pleasant Valley A. C. would like to hear from some 8-9-year-old team having grounds, on Fourth. Address Clyde White, 14 Harlan avenue, Allegheny.

The Mt. Lebanon Athletic club will cross bats Saturday with the Bellevue Y. M. C. A. at Bellevue. Players will meet corner Ninth and Liberty at 2:30 p. m.

The Crawfords want twilight games for Wednesday evenings. All 13-year-old teams; Lyceum Hill preferred. Address William J. Lynch, P. O. box 1103, city.

The Carrick A. C. would like to hear from some good team for Saturday on Carrick grounds. Address H. W. Tillman, Carrick P. O., or call up 648 J Schenley.

The Oliver Baseball club of Pittsburgh has reorganized and will cross bats with any 11 or 12-year-old team in Allegheny or Pittsburgh, or out of town. Address G. Drexel, manager, No. 39 Callon street, Allegheny.

Birmingham A. C. would like to hear from such teams as Allentown Reserves, Montooth A. C., Meadow A. C.; Victoria A. C. preferred. Address E. Miller, 8 Plus street, city.

Mesta Machine Company want a game for Saturday, and also are open for games for the Fourth of July. Would like to hear from any first-class amateur team in Western Pennsylvania. Address W. D. Rowan, Homestead.

The Oakland Independents have now organized. They are without a game for Saturday, and would like to hear from any strong 15-19-year-old team having grounds. Call up Bell 'phone 1188 J Schenley between 8 and 8:30 p. m.

The Colonial A. C. of McKeesport would like to hear from some good 16-17-year-old team having grounds for Saturday, June 17. Colonials will give a return game on July 8 or any date in August. 'Phone W. S. Forsyth, Bell 292, or P. & A. 536-1, McKeesport.

Ramblers play the Hickey A. C. of Braddock on Saturday at Braddock. The Ramblers have June 24, July 1 and July 4 open to any good 16-year-old team having good grounds. Out-of-town preferred for the Fourth. Address John Fowler, 103 Chester avenue, Allegheny.

The Fisher A. C. of the South Side will go to West Newton Saturday to play the team of that place, and all players are requested to report at the Baltimore & Ohio railroad station at 1 o'clock sharp, as the train leaves a little later. Georges please take notice.

The H. C. Frick Coke Company team, now holding second place in the United States Steel Corporation league, will journey to Scottdale on Saturday to play their annual game with the Scottdale office team of the same company. The Pittsburgh team was defeated last year in a well-played game, and are going on this trip with the full intention of wiping out that defeat.

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CHICAGO TAKES OPENING GAME

White Stockings Manage to Bunch Their Hits on Chesbro and Secure Victory.

CLEVER WORK BY WHITE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 15.—Chicago defeated New York in the first game of the series. Bunching of hits and White's good pitching with men of bases gave the visitors the victory. Score:

New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Fultz, m...	0	1	2	0	0	Jones, m....	1	0	3	0	0
Keeler, r..	0	1	1	0	0	Holmes, l...	1	1	4	0	0
Dough'y, l	0	1	2	1	0	Callahan, r	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, 2	0	0	3	5	0	Davis, s....	1	1	2	5	0
Conroy, 3..	0	1	0	2	1	Donahue, 2.	1	1	13	1	0
Chese, 1...	1	1	11	0	0	Sullivan, c	0	0	11	1	0
Elberf'd, s	0	1	2	2	0	Dundon, 3..	0	1	1	3	1
Kletnow, c	0	0	4	2	0	Tannehill, 3	0	1	3	4	0
Chesbro, p.	0	2	0	2	0	White, p....	1	1	0	3	1
Puttman, p	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals....	1	8	27	14	1	Totals.....	5	7	27	17	2

Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	—5
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hits—Fultz, Keeler, Chesbro, Conroy. Hits off Chesbro, 5 in 8 innings; off Puttman, 2 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hits—Keeler, Jones, Holmes. Stolen base—Holmes. Double plays—Dougherty and Williams; White, Tannehill and Donahue. Left on bases—New York 5, Chicago 4. First base on balls—Off Chesbro 2, off Puttman 1. First base on errors—New York 1, Chicago 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Puttman 1. Struck out—By Chesbro 3, by Puttman 1, by White 1. Wild pitch—Chesbro. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance 4,000.

St. Louis 5—Philadelphia 0.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—Howell pitched great ball today and shut out the home team. Bender was hit hard and was relieved by Coakley in the third inning. Attendance 3,719. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel's.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Stone, l....	1	2	1	0	0	Hartsel, l..	0	1	1	0	0
Moran, 2...	0	1	0	3	0	Lord, r.....	0	1	1	0	0
VanSant, r	0	1	3	0	0	Davis, l....	0	0	3	0	0
Koehler, m	0	0	2	0	0	Cross, 3....	0	0	1	0	0
Jones, 1....	2	3	11	0	0	Murphy, 2...	0	0	1	2	0
Wallace, s.	0	0	1	3	1	Hoffman, m	0	1	2	0	0
Gleason, 3.	1	2	0	2	0	Knight, s...	0	1	2	1	1
Sugden, c..	0	0	9	0	0	Schreck, c..	0	0	6	2	0
Howell, p..	1	1	0	3	0	Bender, p...	0	0	0	0	0
						Coakley, p..	0	0	0	2	0
						Barton, c...	0	0	2	0	0
Totals....	5	10	27	11	1	Totals.....	0	3	27	9	1

St. Louis	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Left on bases—St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 4. Stolen bases—Hartsel, Gleason, Jones, Davis. Two-base hit—Howell. Home run—Stone. Sacrifice hit—Stone. Double play—Moran, Wallace and Jones. Hits off Bender, 6 in 2 innings; off Coakley 4 in 7 innings. Struck out—By Bender 1, by Coakley 1, by Howell 5. Bases on balls—Off Coakley 3, off Howell 1. Passed ball—Barton. Time of game—1:50. Umpire—Sheridan.

Cleveland 2—Washington 0.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Cleveland shut out Washington today through the magnificent pitching of Joss, who had the locals completely in his power. Not a Washington player reached second, and with the exception of two innings but three men faced the visiting pitcher. Attendance 2,116. Score:

Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hill, 3.....	0	1	2	1	0	Jackson, l..	0	0	2	0	0
Jones, m...	0	0	2	0	0	Bay, m.....	2	3	1	0	0
Mullen, l..	0	0	3	0	0	Flick, r.....	0	0	1	0	0
Anders'n, r	0	0	2	0	0	Lajoie, 2....	0	3	1	1	0
Knoll, 1....	0	0	8	0	0	Bradley, 3..	0	0	0	2	0
Nill, 2.....	0	0	2	1	1	Turner, s...	0	0	2	6	0
Cassidy, s.	0	0	3	5	1	Stovall, l...	0	0	1	4	0
Hayden, c.	0	0	4	0	0	Buelow, c...	0	0	5	2	0
Hughes, p.	0	0	2	1	1	Joss, p.....	0	0	0	3	0
Totals....	0	1	27	8	1	Totals.....	2	6	27	13	0

Cleveland	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Bay 2, Lajoie 3. Stolen base—Buelow. Sacrifice hit—Bradley. First base on errors—Cleveland 1. Struck out—By Hughes 3, by Joss 7. Left on bases—Washington 2, Cleveland 4. Time of game—1:20. Umpires—McCarthy and Kelly.

Detroit 5—Boston 1.

BOSTON, June 15.—Batting and error-making were practically equal between Boston and Detroit today, but Detroit's errors were less costly and their hits were bunched, giving them the game 5 to 1. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
O'Leary, s.	1	2	2	5	2	Selbach, r..	0	1	2	0	0
Cooley, m.	1	0	3	0	0	Parent, s...	0	0	0	0	1
Hickman, l.	1	1	13	0	0	Burkett, l.	1	1	5	0	0
Crawf'd, r	2	1	1	0	0	Collins, 3....	0	1	1	2	0
Coughlin, 3	0	1	1	4	0	Stahl, m....	0	2	3	0	0
Schaefer, 2	0	1	3	2	0	Grimsh'w, 1	0	1	8	0	0
Lowe 1....	0	0	3	0	1	Ferris, 2....	0	0	2	2	1
Drill c.....	0	0	2	0	1	Criger, c...	0	0	5	3	1
Kitson, p..	0	0	0	4	0	Young, p...	0	0	0	0	1
Totals....	5	6	27	15	4	Totals.....	1	5	27	9	4

Detroit	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	—5
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

Two-base hits—Hickman, Stahl. Sacrifice hit—Cooley. Stolen bases—Crawford 2, Coughlin, Schaefer. Double play—O'Leary, Schaefer and Hickman. First base on balls—Off Young 2, off Kitson 1. Struck out—By Young 5, by Kitson 2. Passed ball—Criger. Time of game—1:39. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance 4,968.

Sharon Defeats Braddock.

SHARON, PA., June 15.—(Special.)—Braddock was helpless before the pitching of Schettler today, and, backed by fast fielding, Sharon won a close game. Sharon got its two runs in the first inning on two errors by Edmundson, an out at first and Lynch's single to middle. Braddock's lone run was made by Sandherr, who singled, stole second, and crossed the plate on a fumble by Ferguson. The score:

| Sharon. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. | Braddock. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |
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BROKEN CONFINES OF SCHOOL ROOM

Commencement Exercises Are in Full Blom All Over the Country.

MANY CROSS ALPS TO ITALY

NEW HAVEN, CONN., July 15.—Visitors are already arriving in town for the Yale commencement, although the final examinations of the students have not concluded. Commencement will be somewhat later than usual, coming on June 28, but indications are that it will be more than usually full of interest. Secretary of War W. H. Taft will address the law school. Lord and Lady Elgar, who arrived today in New York from England, will be here as guests of Professor Samuel S. Sanford.

Commencement week opens a week from tomorrow with the Townsend prize orations for the DeForest gold medal. The baccalaureate address by Dr. Hadley on Sunday, June 25, and the class day exercises on June 26 will draw many. A new feature will be the 1492 dinner for all graduates who return as individuals rather than by classes.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., June 15.—At its thirty-eighth annual commencement today the West Virginia university sent out the largest graduating class in its history. Governor William O. Dawson delivered the principal address. Immediately after the exercises the annual alumni dinner took place. Charles M. Babb was elected president of the alumni association for this year. The exercises closed with a ball in the armory tonight.

OXFORD, O., June 15.—The feature of the eighty-first commencement of Miami university here today was the address of Secretary of War William H. Taft. It was delivered in the commencement tent erected on the campus among the forest trees. The unusually large audience made frequent interruptions with applause.

The other events of the day were the dedication of Hepburn Hall, Attorney General Wade Ellis making the address, the unveiling of the portrait of John W. Herron, the oldest graduate and trustee, by Gov. Myron T. Herrick, and the conferring of degrees upon 24 graduates. Mr. Herron is the father-in-law of Secretary Taft.

WOOSTER, O.—The thirty-fifth annual commencement of Wooster university was held today in Memorial chapel, which was filled. The class graduating numbers 44.

CLEVELAND, O.—The annual commencement of Western Reserve university was held today. Classes numbering 169 were graduated. The address was delivered by Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis of New York, and its subject was "The New Scholar and the New Patriotism." An honorary degree of L. H. D. was conferred upon Dr. Hillis and Professor George L. Burr of Cornell university, and the degree of D. D. upon Professor James Hardy Hopes of Harvard university.

ALLIANCE, O.—The graduating exercises of the Alliance High school were held this evening in the First Methodist Episcopal church. The commencement address was delivered by Dr. L. H. Schuch, president of Capital university, Columbus.

SOCIETY

POPE PIUS X. cabled his blessing to Miss Joanna Marie Reilly and John J. Hart, who were married yesterday morning in the Church of the Epiphany. In addition to the honors given them by the pope, the Rt. Rev. Bishop Canevin celebrated pontificial high mass for the first time in this diocese, he was assisted in performing the ceremony by the Rev. Father Boyle, the Rev. Father O'Connell, the Rev. Father Walsh, the Rev. Father Kittell, the Rev. Father Miles Sweeney and the Rev. Father Heslr. The bride had but one attendant, her sister Miss Mary Bertha Reilly, but the bridal party also included the best man, Eugene S. Reilly, brother of the bride; and the ushers, L. N. Beaudrias and John Mulchey of New York; Philip Brennan Reilly, also a brother, and A. X. Phelan.

The bridal gown was an exquisite creation of real lace. It was made with a full court train, to the end of which hung the long tulle veil. A white kid prayer book, marked with a shower of lilies of the valley, was carried by the bride, whose only jewel was a bow knot of diamands, Mr. Hart's gift. The maid of honor was gowned in white mousseline hung over yellow taffeta. She also wore a white lace hat with a long, sweeping yellow plume and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley, showered effectively with yellow daisies. The same colors were carried out in the decorations of the church, where the altar railing was almost covered with the marguerites. High wicker standards of the same flowers marked the pews and adorned the altar. The ceremony, which was performed at 10 o'clock, was followed by a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Reilly, in Darragh street, Oakland. The bridal table, placed in the dining-room, was laid with covers for 14, the guests, in addition to the members of the bridal party, including Mrs. Eugene S. Reilly, Mrs. Beaudrias, Sergius P. Grace, Miss Elizabeth Connelly, Mrs. A. X. Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick of Wilkesbarre and Miss Katherine Vilsack.

Another table was placed in the drawing room, and at it were seated the clergy. The decorations for both boards were the same, and consisted of centerpieces of yellow daisies with showers of yellow blossoms on yellow tulle suspended from the ceiling. Jonquils were combined with daisies and palms in the background, against which the bridal couple stood to receive congratulations. Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. J. J. Hart, Miss Katherine Hart, the Rev. Father Wallace, and Mr. and Mrs. William Horst of New York; Judge and Mrs. Lynch of Wilkesbarre; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Costello, Miss Joan McIntyre, Miss Agnes McIntyre of Philadelphia, and the Rev. Father McKeon of Danville, Ill. During the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Hart left for a wedding tour of the Thousand Islands, at the conclusion of which they will be at home in New York city. No at-home days have been set.

Tour Around the World.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Avalon Presbyterian church gave a most successful and enjoyable "Tour Around the World" in Avalon last night for the benefit of the church. The tour was under the direction of Mrs. W. B. Parks and Mrs. A. V. Baker and nearly 500 persons in the trip, which was started promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

Leaving Avalon, in their minds, the first stop was New York, where the guests were entertained at the residence of Mrs. William H. Griscomb. The party then met ex-President Grover Cleveland, William Hunter, Mrs. Grover Cleveland, Mrs. S. H. Ralston, John D. Rockefeller, William B. Park, Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Mrs. H. Brownfield Scott, John Jacob Astor, D. S. H. Ralston, Mrs. John Jacob Astor, Mrs. Frank Bates, Helen Gould, Miss Kate Taylor, Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Miss Mayme Thompson, Mrs. Chauncy Depew, Miss Edith Behrhorst, Mayor McClellan, Frank Bates, Mrs. McClellan, Mrs. William Hunter, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Robert Hoffman, Mrs. Ogden Mills, Miss Della Riskadden, Mrs. George Gould, Miss Alice Colmer, Hetty Green, Mrs. William B. Park, Mrs. Jack Bloodgood, Mrs. William P. Hackman, Admiral Dewey, William A. Griscomb, Mrs. Dewey, Mrs. W. J. K. Snyder, Harry Lehr, R. W. Strain, Mrs. Lehr, Mrs. W. A. Driscomb; treasurer, E. E. Custard; guide, Milton Turney; music, Damrosch orchestra.

Leaving New York the party made a land voyage to Ireland, stopping at the residence of Mrs. Lee Duncan. They were introduced to King Edward, William Jenkins, Queen Alexandra, Mrs. David Main and the following ladies and gentlemen of court: Mrs. Elridge, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. E. E. Custard, Mrs. William Jenkins, Mrs. E. M. H. Jones, Mrs. A. C. Carlisle, Mrs. Kerns, James Toy and H. B. McCurdy. L. H. Duncan was guard, Louis Wellman conducted and Robert Grick, policeman.

The party then took the limited express through France to Germany, stopping in Berlin at the residence of Mrs. William Gould, and met Emperor William, J. A. Gibson, Empress Augusta, Mrs. M. K. Miller, Prince Henry and H. E. Graham, and the ladies and gentlemen of court: Mrs. Louis Wellman, Mrs. J. A. Gibson, Mrs. S. H. Chapman and William Gould. Mrs. M. K. Miller was guide, Mrs. S. H. Chapman, guard. The party next visited China and were entertained in Peking at the residence of Mrs. A. V. Henry.

Tokio, Japan, was the next stop, where Mrs. A. V. Baker entertained the tourists. The guests met the Mikado, W. W. Nesbit, the empress and Mrs. W. W. Nesbit. The guide was Edward Haldy and the conductor David Main.

The tourists left the land of cherry blossoms and came back to America, stopping in the national capital city at the residence of Mr. Evans, whose daughter, Miss Olive Evans, acted as hostess, the tourists meeting Uncle Sam, A. V. Baker, George Washington, Carroll Evans, Martha Goss, Abraham Lincoln, T. E. H. P. Brong, Nellis Curtis, Miss Martha Woodburn, Dorothy Madison, Miss Margerite Kiefer, President Roosevelt, Charles Boges, Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. A. M. Kirker, Gen. Miles, Capt. S. M. Evans, Goddess of Liberty, Miss Arline Goodlander, Columbia, Miss Anna Hammer. The helpers there were, Mrs. G. B. Lewis, Mrs. H. P. McCurdy, Mrs. W. H. Stevenson and Mrs. A. M. Kicker. The guard was Ralph Riskadden.

Day Nursery to Be Benefited.

A country fair will be given tomorrow afternoon and evening on the grounds surrounding 3035 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, for the benefit of the Allegheny First Day Nursery and Home for Children. The committees are as follows: Japanese booth, Mrs. H. M. Feely, Mrs. John Garling, Miss Grace Dickinson, Miss Norma Pritchard and Mrs. Steel Roberts; gypsy camp, Miss Retta Fullerton; common sense, Mrs. John Ingham and Mrs. John McConnell; candy, Mrs. Snyers, Mrs. William Sloan, Mrs. Gilles, Miss Isabella Lesgate, Miss Mary Wolman, Miss Louise Lyon, Miss Houser, Miss Margaretta Haslett and Miss Martha Leggate; pies, cakes and buns, Mrs. J. D. Lyon, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. S. A. Foster, Mrs. S. G. Lyon, Mrs. William Evans, Mrs. H. Andrews, Mrs. J. F. Stevenson, Mrs. John Borland, Mrs. Charles Deverts and Miss Myrtle Brant; ice cream and strawberries, Mrs. J. D. Chantler, Mrs. W. A. Black, Miss Mary Mortland, Miss Lillian Mortland, Miss Annie May Black, Miss Mary Reed, Miss Alice Black, Miss Bertha McCall and Miss Bessie D. Chantler; groceries, Mrs. A. Rodabaugh, Mrs. C. L. Rose, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. J. Strouse, Mrs. F. Cruikshank and Mrs. James Brown; Jack Horner pie, Mrs. Harry Porterfield and Miss Helen Lyons; supper, Mrs. Levi Colvin, Mrs. Benweid, Mrs. George, Mrs. Hazell, Miss Edna Brinton, Miss Hortense Pauline, Miss Helen McLaughlin, Miss Edna Jones, Miss Ella Musser, Miss Myrtle Evans, Miss Hazel Evans, Miss Gertrude Sproul, Miss Maria Vassler, Miss Eva Mahney, Miss Ella Shannon, Miss Emma Daum, Mrs. William Sloan, Mrs. W. H. Colvin, Mrs. Joseph T. Colvin

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East End.

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MIDSUMMER DULLNESS IN THE STOCK MARKET

Transactions in New York the Smallest for the Year. Price Changes in Important Securities Were Insignificant.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

Yesterday's New York stock market may be summarized in the statement that the total sales for the day fell below 150,000 shares, the smallest of the year, that price changes in the leading stocks were unimportant, and that the close showed net declines of about ½ per cent. If to this is added that there were no important news developments, the description of the day in Wall street is well nigh complete.

London quotations for American securities were slightly lower, but the operations for foreign account cut no figure in the market. In the Paris market French rentes closed 25 centimes lower, the decline being based upon fears in connection with the situation in Morocco. This subject apparently received more attention in foreign financial circles than peace negotiations between Russia and Japan. The latter made some progress in the selection of Washington as the meeting place of the peace commissioners. As a slight relief from the apathy which settled down upon the market traders took up Illinois Central and Wisconsin Central common and preferred. The last named was bought by a house with inside connections. The common closed 1¼ and the preferred 2 per cent higher for the day, and Illinois Central closed 1 per cent higher. Whether or not there was any connection between the movement in these stocks could not be positively stated, and there was not even a rumor indulged in.

Baltimore & Ohio was not affected by the very favorable May report of earnings and closed ¾ per cent lower. Pennsylvania closed ⅛ and Reading ¼ lower. Union Pacific, St. Paul and Atchison each closed ⅝ lower. The bull pool in Louisville & Nashville apparently suspended operations in disgust and that stock closed 1 per cent lower.

In the industrial list the largest fluctuations were in American Steel Foundries preferred, which sold within a range of 28¾ to 30¼, and closed at 37, a net gain of ⅓ per cent. United States Steel common closed ⅛ and the preferred ⅛ lower. Amalgamated Copper closed at a loss of ½ per cent.

The most encouraging thing about the market from the bull standpoint was the scarcity of stocks offering for sale. A local house which sent on a buying order in United States Steel common was two hours in filling the same, because there were no additional offerings at the market price.

The street took a languid interest in the rumors concerning the nature of the report of the insurance department on the Equitable Life. According to rumor, this report will be as exhaustive as that of the Frick committee, but of a somewhat different tenor. It is uncertain, however, what the effect on the market will be of its publication.

Call loans were a trifle firmer, closing at 2½ to 2¾ per cent. The weekly statements of foreign banks were not specially significant. The Bank of England reported a decrease of $1,670,000 in loans and an increase of nearly 1 per cent in the percentage of reserve to liability. The Bank of France reported an increase of $6,200,000 in loans and a slight decrease in holdings of gold and silver.

Commodity markets were strong, cotton, wheat and corn closing at or near the highest prices of the day. Farmers are now busy with winter wheat harvesting and the cultivation of corn, and the receipts and shipments of grain at primary markets are falling off in consequence. Nevertheless, railroad earnings in the agricultural districts are well maintained, indicating a large distribution of other merchandise.

The most prominent feature of the local stock market, aside from its dullness, was the strength of Lustre Mining, which advanced ¾ a share to 25, one small lot selling at 25½, the highest price quoted on the present capitalization. Tonopah Extension sold unchanged at $4.70, but was subsequently offered at $4.60. Westinghouse Air Brake declined a dollar a share to 144, but recovered to 144½ bid at the close. There were no transactions in Electric, which closed offered at 84. Pittsburgh Coal preferred sold unchanged at 73½ to 73¾. There were no sales of the common. Crucible Steel preferred was a shade firmer at 61½, but there were no transactions in the common nor in either of the United States Steel issues. Brewing securities were extremely dull and nominally unchanged in price. The only sale of gas stocks was 35 shares Manufacturers Light and Heat at 35½. The general market closed dull and featureless.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

20	Fire Proof. com	9½	1 W. Airbrake....144
5	do	9½	28 Monon. Water.. 39½
25	L. & R	53½	$800 Phila. old 5s..111
20	Ind. Brew. pfd	19	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

100	Pgh. Coal pfd.	73½	100 Crucible pfd.... 61½
11	P. Brew. com	25	50 Monon. Water.. 39½
100	Crucible pfd	61½	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10	Crucible pfd	61½	6 Pgh. Coal pfd. 73½
200	Tonopah Ext	4.70	10 do 73¾
20	M. L. & H	35½	12 Sewer Pipe 37½
70	W. Airbrake	145	25 Luster 25
25	Pgh. Coal pfd	73¾	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

50	Luster	24	$1000 Ind. Brew. 6s.107¼

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

50	Luster	24	20 Fire Proof. pfd. 34⅝
36	W. Airbrake	144	15 do 34⅝
25	Ind. Brew. com	15	

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

50	Luster	25	5 Luster 25½
50	do	25	

Summary.

Sales.		High	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'g.
210	Cruc. Steel pref	61½	61½	61½	+ ⅛
25	Fireproof	9½	9½	9½	— ¼
85	Do preferred	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝	+ ⅛
25	Ind. Brewing	15	15	15	0
20	Do preferred	40	40	40	— ⅛
230	Luster	*25½	22	*25½	+4½
35	Mfrs. L. & H	35½	35½	35½	+ ¼
78	Mon. Water	39½	39½	39½	+ ½
11	Pgh. Brewing	29	28	28	— ¼
141	Pgh. Coal pref	73⅝	73½	73⅝	0
12	Sewer Pipe	37½	37½	37½	+ ⅛
200	Tonopah Ext	4.70	4.70	4.70	0
101	West Airbrake	145	141	144	—1
1123					
	BONDS.				
$1000	Ind. Brew. 6s	107¼	107¼	107¼	+ ¼
8000	Phil. Co. old 5s	111	111	111	+ ½
$9000					

*Less than 10 shares. †New high mark.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange			9000
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Arsenal Bank	50	140	185
Commonwealth Trust	100	190	200
Diamond National	100		445
Duquesne National	100		280
Exchange National	50		90
German National Bank	100	250	260
Guarantee Title and Trust	100		190
Iron City Trust	100	125	170
Marine National	100		154
Metropolitan National	100		190
Mechanics Savings and Trust	50	64	68
Pittsburgh Trust	100		170
Real Estate Trust	100		240
Second National	100		185
Third National	100		150
Traders and Mechanics	50	70	
West Side Savings	50	150	
Western Savings and Deposit	50		130
Allegheny Banks—			
Allegheny Trust	100	141	146
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100		37½
Citizens Traction	50		70
Consolidated Ice	50	7⅝	
Do preferred	50	20½	
Crucible Steel	100	16	16¼
Do preferred	100	61½	61½
Luster Mining	10	24	25
Manufacturers Light and Heat	50	35¼	
Marsden	100	28½	37½
Monongahela Incline Plane	50	62	
Monongahela River Coal	50	10	
Do preferred	50	27	35
Monongahela Water	25	39¼	40
National Fire Proofing	50	9⅝	10
Do preferred	50	34½	
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	70¾	
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	63	68
Philadelphia Company preferred	50	45½	
Pittsburgh Terminal Warehouse	100	80	105
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	28	36½
Do preferred	50	46½	47
Pittsburgh Coal	100	17⅛	18
Do preferred	100	73½	73¾
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	4.55	4.60
Ohio Tonopah	1	.35	.36
United States Glass	100	59	61
United States Steel	100	27⅜	27⅝
Do preferred	100	94½	
Westinghouse Electric	50		84
Westinghouse Air Brake	50	144½	
Mt. Oliver Incline	50		50
Independent Brewing	50		15½
Do preferred	50	39½	49
Bonds—			
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s			104
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s		114½	114¾

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains steady at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$9,092,825 74	$1,075,241 81
Last week	8,316,956 83	1,923,962 71
Last year	6,250,413 09	1,235,451 88

Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, June 15.—Money was in increased demand in the market today for stock exchange requirements; discounts were firmer, partly owing to the condition of continental exchanges and the likelihood that Paris will resume purchases of gold in the open market. Consequently the Bank of England will not secure all the gold arrivals; trading on the stock exchange was inactive beyond arranging the account. The tendency was irregular. Consols were easier. Americans opened fractionally firmer, eased to below parity, became irregular and closed quiet. Foreigners were unsteady; Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 103½; consols for money, 90 9-16; consols for account, 90 1-16; bar silver firm, 27 1-16d the ounce; money, 1½@2 per cent; the rate of discount, short bills, 2@2 1-16 per cent; three months' bills, 2@2 1-16 per cent.

PARIS, June 15.—Prices on the bourse today opened heavy, owing to the political uneasiness; French rentes were largely sold. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 89.00 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 504; the private rate of discount was 1¾ per cent; three per cent rentes, 89 francs 47½ centimes for the account; exchange on London, 25 francs, 16½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, June 15.—Prices on the boerse today were somewhat depressed; exchange on London, 20 marks 47½ pfgs for checks; discount rates, short bills, 2 per cent; three months' bills, 2½ per cent.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official reports show that sub-treasury paid out yesterday $2,000. Total thus paid since Friday, $20,061, against $38,229 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,889,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,689,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $341,000, paid by government to banks. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $128,000, against $2,940,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago and $943,000 paid by government to banks a year ago.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Close—Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87.00@4 87.05 for demand and at $4 85.10@4 85.15 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 86 and $4 88; commercial bills, $4 84½; bar silver, 55¾c; Mexican dollars, 45¼c; government bonds steady; money on call easy, 2¼@2½ per cent; closing bid, 2¼ per cent; offered at 2½ per cent; time money firm; 60 days, 3 per cent; 90 days, 3¼ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent.

English Bank Statement.

LONDON, June 15.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased £579,000; circulation, decreased £435,000; bullion, decreased £155,983; other securities, decreased £534,000; other deposits, decreased £587,000; public deposits, increased £519,000; notes reserve, increased £292,000; government securities unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 50.91 per cent, as compared with 50 02 per cent last week.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH

Stock exchange sales foot up only 1,123 shares stock and $9,000 bonds.

Lustre Mining jumped 94 a share to 25, the highest on this movement.

Crucible preferred the only steel stock in which there were sales.

Westinghouse Airbrake declined to 144, but recovered to 144½ bid.

No trading in any of the other Westinghouse stocks.

IN WALL STREET

Dullest day of the year on the stock exchange.

Sales were only 133,400 shares stock and $2,000,000 bonds.

In important stocks price changes were small, but averaged slightly lower.

Illinois Central and Wisconsin Central the strongest of the railroads.

Steel common ⅛ point lower. Steel Foundries preferred ¼ point higher.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

To find a parallel to the present stagnation in the stock market one is compelled to go back to March of last year. On the latter occasion the event that broke the apathy was the rather unexpected decision in the Northern Securities case. Ruling against the corporation the "bears" attacked the market and laid the foundation for the subsequent great rise in values. There is no similar event hanging over the market at this time. Neither the Equitable Life matter nor the peace negotiations between Russia and Japan will be as influential as was the Northern Securities case in affecting values. The current dullness is proof positive that professional traders have no idea of what the future may have in store to revive activity, and yet a revival is just as certain to follow the present stagnation as it has in the past. If the future event should prove favorable, the effect might be less pronounced, for the reason that the average of prices is at a higher level than it was a little more than a year ago. On the other hand, if it should prove unfavorable, bears would be encouraged, and yet the scarcity of stocks and the apparent firmness with which they are held by large interests act as a bar to confident trading on the short side of the market.

During the noon hour on the Pittsburgh stock exchange just 50 shares of stock changed hands. During the same hour on the New York exchange 12,000 shares changed hands. The latter was relatively duller than Pittsburgh, because New York has the whole world to draw upon for traders, and in addition there to has a 2½ per cent call loan market, while local traders must pay an average of 6 per cent.

Despite the dullness in the stock market, Pittsburgh bank exchanges yesterday were $2,250,000 larger than for the corresponding day last year.

Not a share of United States Steel stocks, Crucible Steel common or Pittsburgh Coal common changed hands yesterday on the local board. These were once the leaders in point of activity in the market.

The advance in Lustre Mining to 25 bid for regular lots marked a new high record for the stock on the present capitalization. The men who have backed Lustre with their money have had a long and trying experience, but they now apparently in sight of the reward of patience.

American Window Glass Machine common was quoted at 6 bid, 18 asked, and the preferred at 25 bid, 29 asked. Union Natural Gas was quoted at 165 bid. Pittsburgh Terminal Warehouse was quoted at 80 bid, 105 asked.

The recent strength of O. & W. was due in a measure to the announcement that J. P. Morgan & Co. had purchased from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company $15,000,000 of the 50-year 4 per cent debenture bonds of that company. These bonds were issued in order to reimburse the treasury for the money expended in acquiring control of the Ontario & Western road. There is no reason to believe that anything better than 1½ per cent will be declared on Ontario & Western stock.

Replying to a correspondent the Wall Street Journal gives this reason for the difference in market value of the stock referred to: "There has been considerable dissatisfaction among Crucible Steel stockholders with the management. The disposing of the Clairton Steel property to United States Steel was construed as not being in the interest of the Crucible Steel stockholders. The Republic Iron and Steel Company, on the other hand, besides having some valuable properties has a more aggressive management. In addition, there has always been a better market for Republic Steel stock than Crucible stock."

The plants of the Republic Iron and Steel Company will close early in July for 10 days or two weeks for the purpose of taking inventories and making necessary repairs and improvements. The plants will start up with specifications on contracts that will keep them in steady operation for more than two months.

It was expected that the directors of Southern Pacific would meet yesterday to declare the semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock. Owing to the lack of a quorum there will be no meeting this week.

The First National Bank of Verona has declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent, payable July 1.

The quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent on Western Union is payable July 15 to stock of record July 20.

The directors of the United Gas Improvement Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable July 15 to stock of record June 30.

Indiana, Illinois & Iowa directors have declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent, payable August 1 to stock of record July 21.

Mahoning Coal Company directors have declared a dividend of 5 per cent on the common stock, payable August 1 to stock of record July 21.

National Sugar directors declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock, payable July 3.

American Type Founders Company declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred and 1 per cent on the common stock, payable July 15 to stock of record July 10.

The United States Cast Iron and Foundry Company, which controls about 70 per cent of the pipe business of this country, closed its fiscal year May 31 and the annual report will be issued the latter part of this month. An official of the company, while declining to state what the actual earnings for the past year were, admits that the results for the year were very satisfactory. In the year preceding the total net profits amounted to $1,035,810, and the net profits for the past fiscal year are expected to be somewhat near the same figures.

Surplus earnings of Western Union for the June quarter decreased $91,144. The falling off is said to be due to the campaign against pool rooms.

At auction in Philadelphia $1,000 City of Allegheny Second ward school district 4s of 1906 sold at 99 and $1,800 of City of Pittsburgh improvement loan 4s of 1915 at 106.

Baltimore & Ohio reports for May gross earnings of $6,840,175, an increase of $597,206; net earnings, $1,807,207, an increase of $327,559. For 11 months of the fiscal year gross earnings increased $2,232,712, and net earnings increased $1,844,064.

Japanese 4½ per cent bonds continued to be well bought and as the floating supply is absorbed they promise to work some higher, in the opinion of New York bankers.

The total deposits of the 26 largest national banks in the United States are as follows:

City, New York	$755,468,000
Commerce, New York	292,684,600
First, New York	98,918,000
First, Chicago	92,525,000
Park, New York	83,717,000
Hanover, New York	79,750,000
Chase, New York	62,577,000
Continental, Chicago	61,573,000
Commerce, St. Louis	51,874,000
Chawnut, Boston	48,696,000
Corn Exchange, Chicago	48,169,000
Fourth Street, Philadelphia	43,020,000
First, Boston	40,208,000
Philadelphia, Philadelphia	38,965,000
American Exchange, New York	36,971,000
Commerce, Chicago	34,519,000
Bank of New York, New York	34,219,000
Commerce, Kansas City	31,242,000
Girard, Philadelphia	31,208,000
Merchants, New York	30,576,000
Fourth, New York	28,950,000
Franklin, Philadelphia	28,400,000
Chemical, New York	28,200,000
Third, St. Louis	27,418,000
Mellon, Pittsburgh	25,552,000
Mechanics American St. Louis	25,000,000

Depression in foreign markets was attributed to uneasiness over the outcome of relations in Morocco between Germany, France and Great Britain. Prices of consols and French rentes were lower, London discounts hardened and sterling exchanges at Berlin and Paris declined. Paris renewed its demand on the London market for gold and on the New York rate for French cheques hardened slightly. No effort was produced on the New York money market. The arrival at Seattle of the first receipt of Klondike gold for the season was commented on.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade:

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Closing Bids
4700	A., T. & S. F	81⅝	83¼	81½	83½
0	Do preferred				103⅝
	Am. Cotton Oil				45
	Do preferred				85
600	Am. Sugar Refg	134⅛	134½	134⅛	134⅝
	Do preferred				124½
600	Am. Locomotive	47½	47¾	47	47⅝
	Do preferred				110
	Am. Car Foundry				37½
6200	Anaconda Copper	13⅝	13⅞	13⅝	13⅞
400	Anaconda Copper	102½	103½	102½	103½
1200	Am. Smelt. & Ref	112	113⅜	112	113⅛
	Do preferred				113½
600	American Ice				7
2000	B. & O	105⅞	106⅛	105⅞	106⅛
	Do preferred				97
1900	B. Rapid Transit	64½	64⅝	63⅝	63⅞
7100	Canadian Pacific	151	151¾	150½	150⅞
800	C. & C. W	13	13	13½	13⅝
	Consolidated Gas				184½
	C., C., C. & St. L				94
100	C. & O	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
	C. & A				85
100	*Do preferred	78½	78½	78½	79
100	C. & N. W	191	191	191	191
500	C. Fuel & Iron	42¾	43¼	42	42¾
	Corn Product				8¾
	Do preferred				80½
200	Colorado Southern	27	27	27	27½
100	Do 2d pfd	26	26	26	26
200	Del. & Hudson	181½	181½	181½	181¾
2600	Erie	40⅝	41	40⅝	40½
200	Do 1st pfd	78⅝	79⅜	78¾	78⅝
500	Do 2d pfd	68	68	67⅝	68⅜
	General Electric				174
3300	Rocking Valley				37
100	Do preferred				73
	Illinois Central	160⅝	161⅜	160⅝	161¼
	Inter. Paper	19½	19⅝	19¼	19⅝
	L. E. & W	31	31	31	30¾
	L. & N	140¾	140¾	140½	142⅝
100	Manhattan				164
300	Missouri Pacific	98⅝	99⅛	98⅝	98⅝
100	M., K. & T	25¾	25¾	25¼	27¼
100	Do preferred	62¾	62¾	62¾	62½
1700	Metropolitan	122⅝	122⅝	122⅝	122¾
1000	Do Securities	80	80	80	73¾
	Mexican Central	20¾	20¾	20¾	20⅝
300	National Lead	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	44⅞
200	New York Central	141¾	141¾	141¾	141
2500	N. Y. & W	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51
1000	Nor. & W	80	80¼	80	80⅜
100	No. Amer. Co	93	93	93	93
700	Peoples Gas	101½	101¾	101½	101¾
500	Pacific Mail	38½	38	38½	38⅜
	Pressed Steel Car				37
	Do preferred				91⅜
5800	Penn. R. R	133⅜	133⅝	134⅛	134⅝
	Railway Springs	31½	31⅝	31½	32
	Do preferred				91
11800	Reading	96	96¾	95¾	95⅝
	Do 1st preferred				91
	Do 2d preferred				88
1600	Rock Island	27⅜	27⅝	27⅜	27½
	Do preferred				72
500	Republic Iron	17⅜	17¾	17⅛	17⅜
	Do preferred				73¼
1300	Southern Pacific	63⅛	63⅝	63⅛	63⅜
900	Southern Railway	31½	31⅝	31⅛	31¼
600	Do preferred	90	90	90	90
1000	St. Paul	174½	174¾	174	173⅝
	Do preferred				163
	St. L. & S. W				22
100	Do preferred	69½	69½	69½	69¼
	Tenn. C. & I				77
	T., St. L. & W				27½
100	Do preferred	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	56⅞
15000	U. S. Steel	27⅜	27⅝	27⅜	27½
500	Do preferred	94⅞	95	94⅞	95
	Do 2½s of 1945	93	93	93	93
13500	Union Pacific	123½	123½	122⅝	123⅝
200	Do preferred	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞	96⅝
100	U. S. Rubber	37½	37½	37½	37
500	Do preferred	103½	103½	102½	103½
	U. S. Leather				11⅝
	Do preferred				91⅞
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
	Do preferred				91⅛
100	Wabash	15⅜	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝
200	Do preferred	35¾	35¾	35¾	35
300	W. U. Telegraph	94½	94⅝	94½	94¼
	W. & L. E				15½
	Do 2d preferred				72¾
1300	Wisconsin Central	23⅞	25½	23⅞	29
2600	Do preferred	49	51	49	49⅝
	West. El. 1st pref				106⅝
400	Northern Pacific	180½	181¼	180½	180⅝
	Amer. Woolen Co	32¾	32⅞	29½	32
	Do preferred				102½

INACTIVE LIST.

1500	Am. Steel Fdys		10	9	8½
2200	Do preferred		38	36	30¾
100	Allis Chalmers pf		51½	51¼	53¼
205	Amer. G. & T		6	6	6

*Ex-dividend.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	104	Mexican Cent. 4s	76½
Do 2s, coup.	104½	Do 1st inc.	29½
U. S. 3s, reg.	104	M. & St. L. 4s	96¼
Do 3s, coup.	104	M. K. & T. 4s	100½
U. S. new 4s, reg.	132	Do 5s	107¾
Do 4s, coup.	132	N. Y. Cent. 3½s	104¾
U. S. old 4s, reg.	114	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	100⅝
Do 4s, coup.	114	N. Y., O. & W. 4s	97½
A. Tobac. pfs.	104½	North. Pacific 4s	100⅛
Do 6s, cfts.	115	Do 3s	77¾
Atchison gen. 4s	103⅜	N. & W. con. 4s	103⅞
*Do adj. 4s	96¼	Ore. S. L. rfd. 4s	95⅞
Atl. Coast Line 4s	104	Penn. conv. 3½s	104½
Balt. & Ohio 4s	104	Reading gen. 4s	100⅞
Do 5s	109½	St. L. & I.M.con.5s	124⅝
Cent. of Ga. 5s	119¾	St. L. & S.F.7s	130
Do 1st inc.	85½	St. L. & S.F.gen.6s	120¾
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	102⅝	St. L. & S.F. gen. 4s	96¼
Chi. & Alton 3½s	89¼	Seaboard A. L. 4s	87⅝
C. R. & Q. new 4s	102⅝	South. Pacific 4s	99⅝
C. R. I. & P. 4s	91	Southern Ry. 5s	130½
C. & O. 5s	119½	Texas & Pac. 1sts	121½
C.C.C. & St. L. g 4s	101½	T. St. L. & W. 4s	85
*Chi. Term. 4s	74	Union Pacific 4s	106⅛
Col. Midland 4s	75⅝	Do conv. 4s	102⅝
Col. & So. 4s	85	U. S. Steel 5s	104
Cuba 6s, cfts	104½	Wabash 1sts	117⅜
D. & R. G. 4s	102⅝	Do Deb. B	73
Distillers Secur. 5s	78½	Western Md. 4s	88⅝
E. T. per 1 Gen. 4s	103½	W. & L. E. 4s	94⅝
Do gen. 4s	94⅝	Wheel. Cent. 4s	80
F. W. & D.C.1st	111	Wisc. Cent. 4s	82
Hock. Val. 4½s	113	Do 1½s, cfts	92
Japan 4s	100⅝	Ont. Ind. 5s, ser. A	111
L. & N. unf. 4s	105¾	Do 5s, B	63
Manhattan c. g. 4s	134½		

*Offered.
Total sales (par value), $2,602,000.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	81½	American Sugar	135¾
Do preferred	102¼	Do preferred	128
*Boston & Albany	255½	Am. Tel. & Tel	140⅜
*Boston & Maine	175	Am. Woolen	32
Boston Elevated	156¼	Do preferred	102⅝
*Fitchburg pfd	144	Dominion Iron & St.	27¾
Mexican Central	20¾	*Mass. Gas	47½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	197½	United Fruit	106⅞
*Para Marquette	100	United Shoe Mach.	45¾
Union Pacific	122⅝	Do preferred	31¼
Am. Arse. Chem.	17½	U. S. Steel	27⅝
Do preferred	87½	Do preferred	94⅝
Am. Pneu. Tube	4⅝		

*Bid. †Ask. ‡Ex-dividend.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

American Tin Can	1⅛	North. Securities	163¾
Am. Telegraph	39	Otis Elevator	52
Bay State Gas	3-16	Do preferred	104
Electric Vehicle	18½	Seaboard A. L.	13½
Do preferred	42	Do preferred	35⅝
Greene Con. Cop.	22	Standard Oil	516½
Interborough	138	Tenn. Copper	27
Int. Mer. Mar.	10	Tonopah	13⅝
Do preferred	37	Bethlehem Steel	29
International Salt	21½	Do preferred	74
Do 5s	63	Greene Gold	4⅞

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

American Eys	50½	Phila. Company	
Cambria Steel	39¾	Philadelphia Co.	42½
Cambria Iron	48½	Do preferred	47¾
Con. Trac. N. J.	23¾	Philadelphia Trac.	89½
Do 5s	107½	Do Rapid Tran.	28⅞
Elec. Storage	79	Phila. Electric Co.	9
Elec. Co. of Am.	11⅞	Tidewater Steel	1
Lehigh Valley	64	Do preferred	4
Marsden	3¼	Union Traction	39¾
Penna. R. R	61⅞	United Gas Impt	94⅝
Penna. Steel com.	50	Welsbach Co.	15
Penna. Steel pfd	98		

Electric Stocks at Boston.

*Edison Elec. Ill.	245	Mass. Electric pfd.	61¼
General Electric	175½	Westinghouse com.	81
Mass. Electric	13½		
*Asked.			

Express Companies' Stocks.

Adams	243	United States	125½
American	220	Wells-Fargo	205

First Mortgage Bonds.

Commonwealth Trust Company, No. 227 Fourth avenue, is offering to investors choice first mortgage bonds, yielding 4 to 6½ per cent.

STOCK MARKET MAKES A NEW LOW RECORD

Delay in Announcing Composition of Equitable Syndicate Depresses Sentiment.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, June 16.—The Herald this (Friday) morning says:

Stocks were intensely dull yesterday, the volume of transactions establishing a new low record day for the year. While the dullness was doubtless accentuated by the absence of many traders, who selected the race track in preference to the stock exchange as a more promising place for a gambling hazard, the news developments were not of such a character to stimulate business, even had there been a full attendance on the exchange. Sentiment continued depressed as a result of the long delay in announcing the composition of the Ryan syndicate, which purchased the Equitable Life Assurance Society. Until this point is cleared up Wall street looks for little, if any, improvement in business. The majority of brokers see no valid reason in concealing the identity of the men who, with Mr. Ryan, bought the company, until the filing of the Hendricks report. Prices lost about all they recovered on Wednesday and closed heavy, rather than weak.

Little developed in the way of news during the day. Foreign markets were depressed by fears of political complications arising out of the Morocco situation, and consols and rentes, together with Russian and Japanese bonds, declined. The heaviness of the foreign market had but little effect on domestic securities, though foreigners sold moderately in the market. The apathy of the local market was influenced more largely than anything else by the highly unsatisfactory status of the Equitable Life Assurance Society sale, arising out of the long delay in announcing the composition of the Ryan syndicate. This, rather than the absence of traders at the race track, curtailed the business of the day. Crop damage reports were current, but while these were instrumental in advancing the prices of staple comodities, they had little if any effect on the stock market.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Cotton, spot closed quiet, 15 points higher; middling uplands, 9.10c; middling gulf, 9.35c; sales, none. The range of prices:

	Open	High	Low	Close
January	8.93	8.99	8.86	8.89
February	8.99	8.92	8.89	9.01
March	8.72	9.03	8.72	9.04
April				9.07
May				9.11
June	*8.30	8.98	8.38	8.87
July	8.86	8.67	8.53	8.84
August	8.37	8.74	8.37	8.72
September	8.17	8.75	8.16	8.58
October	8.52	8.88	8.51	8.86
November	*8.58	8.85	8.70	8.90
December	8.62	8.97	8.62	8.99

*Asked. †Bid.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, June 15.—(Special.)—District of Columbia 3s, 65s, 115¾ bid; Philippine 4s, 108 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High	Low	Last Sale
Imp. Japanese ster. loan 4s	101	100¾	100¾
Do 2nd series 4s cfts	96¼	93

ALLEGHENY DEALS LEAD IN MARKET

907-911 Federal Street Brings $57,000—Sale of $25,000 in the Ninth Ward.

DEALING IN A NEW PLAN

Allegheny contributed nearly all the deals of importance yesterday, and the amount of buying being done on the North Side puts a sad phase on the statements that real estate there is dead and prices are tumbling on account of uncertainty about the Greater Pittsburgh bill. The largest sale announced yesterday and the best deal for property above the Diamond made for months was the purchase of the Jos. S. Mulden holdings at 907-911 Federal street, between Erie street and Montgomery avenue, for $57,000. The property is on the west side of the street, adjoining the Federal hotel, and consists of 50x240 feet facing in Federal street and extending through to West Diamond street, and 20x120 feet facing in West Diamond street adjoining, giving a total frontage in that street of 60 feet. Two old two-story brick buildings occupied as a barber shop and plumbing shop occupy the Federal street frontage, and three brick houses face in West Diamond street. This property is one of the largest business lots in Federal street, containing 12,000 square feet, and the price paid is only $4 75 a square foot.

More Allegheny Sales.

Charles H. Bruckman has bought from George J. Schmitt 200x345 feet, on the west side of Prehis avenue, near Strawberry lane, Ninth ward, Allegheny, with 60x204 feet, facing on the west side of the right-of-way of the Pittsburgh & Western railroad and adjoining the first-named plot, for $25,000. Part of the property is improved with brick buildings.

R. H. Boggs and Henry Buhl, Jr., have bought two plots in the rear of the Boggs & Buhl store for $15,000, the seller being Richard Nuttall. One is at the southeast corner of Park way and West Diamond street is 40x78 feet. The other parcel of ground consists of 16x80 feet in West Diamond street, adjoining, and 4x40 feet adjoining the last lot. The lots are improved with old frame buildings.

William Dice has bought from Sarah J. Pfeiffer an improved property 20x51 feet, at the northeast corner of Beaver avenue and Nixon street, Sixth ward, and 20x40 feet in Nixon street, adjoining, for $13,000.

Frank McCann has got title to the property of John R. Murphy, consisting of an improved lot 30x120 feet, in Union avenue, near South Diamond street, Fourth ward, for $14,000. The property was formerly owned by Thomas H. Raba.

James L. Bunnell is the buyer of the Charles A. Muehlbronner properties in the Second ward, for which he paid $12,000. They include a brick house on 20x110 feet on the west side of California avenue, near Massachusetts avenue.

Frank H. Knight has bought from Margaret J. McCrory an improved lot 22x91 feet, at the southwest corner of Anderson and Stoddard streets, Fourth ward, for $12,250.

Harmar Denny Buys Penn Avenue Lot.

Through the offices of C. H. Siedle, Harmar D. Denny has bought from C. Van Buren 1305-1310 Penn avenue, for $32,250. The lot is 80x100 feet, extending back to Spring alley, and has on it three brick dwelling buildings, two in front and two in the rear, which rent for $140 a month. It adjoins the 50 feet owned by John Goettmann at the corner of Thirteenth street and Penn avenue, and was bought for an investment.

The residence property of C. P. Campbell at the northeast corner of Amber street and Friendship avenue, Twentieth ward, has been sold for $12,000. It is known as 249 Amber street and consists of an 11-room reception hall brick house on 40x103 feet. The buyer's name could not be learned yesterday.

H. L. Kreitzer has awarded the contract for remodeling the residence and stable of Murry A. Verner at the southeast corner of Penn and Pacific avenues, East End. A large addition will be built to the present residence. The entire house will be remodeled and refinished and provided with porches. The stable on the rear of the big lot will also get extensive alterations. The improvements are expected to cost $35,000

Dealing for Jackson Property.

Many conjectures are afloat as to the purpose for which options are being sought on the properties in Liberty avenue, just east of Smithfield street. Two different attempts have been made within a week to get an option on the holdings of I. Jackson, 80 feet east of Smithfield street, but no price has yet been given to the brokers after the property. It is one of the largest properties in the downtown district, having a frontage of 41 feet in Liberty avenue by a depth along Oak alley of 126 feet to Cherry alley, and 129 feet frontage in the last-named thoroughfare. A persistent rumor is afloat that the lot is wanted for a hotel site for which purpose it is well located, and with light on three sides would have special advantages for any kind of a business block. Adjoining this property on the west is the triangular-shaped lot owned by Ellen C. Seiber, which measures 20x60x87 feet and which, it is said, cannot be bought. Many men who have noted the different realty movements of the past three years have wondered that somebody did not start a buying movement in this quarter before, and now that the removal of the Pennsylvania tracks from Liberty avenue is assured there are likely to be some interesting developments.

Long, Loud Howl in Cherry Alley.

If the Grant and Liberty Street Railway Company, a subsidiary concern of the Philadelphia Company, gets permission to put its tracks in Cherry alley, it will be only after a hot fight. Property owners along the thoroughfare, including some of the best-known business men in the city, are waking up to the full realization of what this invasion will mean to them and to the city and are furiously denouncing that the privilege shall not be granted. The fight of the Voters' Civic league against the franchises of the new company is receiving the warmest kind of support in industrial quarters, and it is doubtful if any cars will be run down Cherry alley for some time. Those who oppose the franchises of the street car company have two reasons for so doing. One is that if there were only one track put in the alley there would not be enough room left for a vehicle of any sort to pass, and if two tracks were put down pedestrians could not pass with safety, residents of the street would be in danger of their lives constantly and passengers on the cars could not safely put their heads out the windows. The other reason is that the alley is a great convenience to big business firms as well as a street much used by the public at large, and the city has no right to deprive the public of a common thoroughfare where there are so few as in Pittsburgh. Putting down the tracks on the alley would also depreciate the values of abutting property very much, and real estate men are strongly opposed to the invasion.

Actual Sales in First and Fourth.

Although it is hard to prove that there is any concerted effort on the part of any corporation or clique to get hold of a large amount of property in the First and Fourth wards of Allegheny, the dealing keeps up remarkably well and shows the confidence that buyers have in the immediate future of this district. Five more first ward sales have been registered, the properties having taken title as many buyers. Martin C. Stitt bought from Samuel T. Lowrie of Philadelphia a brick house on 40.5x160 feet in West Lacock street for $8,000. A. A. Spivey has secured from William N. Artzberger an improved lot, 40x84 feet, on the north side of West Lacock street, near Corry street, for $7,500. William Johnson has purchased from James D. Glover an improved lot, 20x100 feet, on the north side of Kilbuck street, near School street, for $6,000. Jonathan L. Slater bought the property of Catherine McKenna, an improved lot, 19x87 feet, in West Robinson street, for $4,500, and Louis H. Broudy secured from Samuel Abernathey an improved lot, 27x85 feet, at the northeast corner of Rebecca and Corry streets, for $4,500.

In the Fourth ward these sales have been closed and the deeds registered this week. Charles A. Braun bought from Samuel D. Beddow a brick house on 40x96 feet on the north side of East Robinson street, near Grantham street, for $6,200. George W. Eisenbeis purchased from Mary L. Blaxter an improved lot, 34x82 feet, at the northeast corner of East Lacock and Grantham streets, for $6,750. Frank H. McKnight bought from Emma M. McCall a brick house on 20x103 feet at the northwest corner of Goodrich street and River avenue, for $5,750. J. W. Kimarr bought the property of Peter Kelly in River avenue, consisting of a frame house on 21x60 feet, for $5,300.

Sales Made by Brokers.

Jackson street: C. G. Mitchell sold to George Porter an 11-room, reception-hall brick house on the south side of Jackson street, near Heberton avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $9,800. The buyer will occupy the property as a home.

Dallas avenue: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for G. D. Simen to James Furning an 11-room, reception-hall frame house on 78x104 feet, at the southwest corner of Dallas and Simen avenues, Twenty-first ward, for $5,000. The same company leased for John W. and William F. Lloyd the storeroom, 20x30 feet, at 215 Diamond street to the Dietz Hat Company for three years. The rent for the first year is $1,500; for the second, $1,800, and for the third, $2,000. This is the last of the new stores provided in the Lloyd block.

Marion street: The Aronson Realty Company sold for J. Sanes to Gratia Bradley 62 Marion street, Sixth ward, an improved lot, 24x103 feet, for $6,950. The property rents for $75 a month.

Homewood avenue: J. W. Sherrer sold for W. F. Angermyer to A. E. Siedle 26x166 feet on the east side of Homewood avenue, for $6,500. The lot will be improved with a business block.

Sheridan: C. H. Siedle sold for Thomas J. Keenan to James Moren nine lots, 30x100 feet each, in Sheridan and Chartiers avenues, Sheridan, for $2,850.

Ambridge: F. N. Young sold for Elizabeth Hay to S. E. Allen a two-story office on 27x156 feet in Park road, near the Ft. Wayne station, Ambridge, for $1,400.

Minor Realty Transactions.

Heath street: F. H. Stoite sold to C. W. Freeman an improved lot, 40x100 feet, in Heath street, Eighteenth ward, for $7,300.

Collins avenue: Mary E. Engert sold to J. L. Smith an improved lot, 28x174 feet, in Collins avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $4,750.

South Side: Jacob Ring sold to Thomas Fitzgerald an improved lot, 24x92 feet, in South Twenty-eighth street, near Jane street, Twenty-fourth ward, for $5,650.

Gray street: Theresa Kaiser sold to Sarah J. Brose an improved lot, 46x97 feet, at Gray and Dilworth streets, Thirty-second ward, for $3,750.

California avenue: J. A. Griffith sold to C. H. Stocker an improved lot, 19.6x74 feet, in California avenue, Thirty-eighth ward, for $5,500.

Center avenue: J. G. Groves sold to Rita Creighton an improved lot, 40x100 feet, in Center avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $3,200.

Lawrenceville: H. J. Lang sold to Cornelia E. Helligan an improved lot, 20x100 feet, in Forty-sixth street, Seventeenth ward, for $4,800.

Rose street: M. L. Yost sold to Mary F. Smith an improved lot, 31x102 feet, in Rose street, Thirteenth ward, for $2,950.

The Pittsburgh bureau of building inspection yesterday issued permits to W. J. L. Peoples for three 2-story and attic brick dwellings at Negley avenues and Homer street, Nineteenth ward, to cost $27,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Young E P to M F Challis, May 31, Sewickley 60x146, Hill st.....$ 5,000
Engel J to H Bornemann, May 31, 27th ward, Pittsburgh, 40x152, Patterson st. 2,700
Hamilton A to E Janovitz, June 9, 1st ward, McKeesport, 30x140. Water st. 4,220
Scott M D to Gina Somina, May 25, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 25x120, Westmoreland st. 1,250
Stein J to F Nowicki, May 15, 13th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x120, Thirty-third st. 2,100
Robinson I M to L S McDonald, April 1, Wilkins twp, 50x140, Sepad. Ry. 1,800
Patch H D to George Columbus, June 1, 27th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x184, German square 1,100
Dickston William to Frank Lesber, April 18, Pitcairn, 31x100, 2d street. 1,120
James Enoch to A A Spivey, June 12, 11th ward, Allegheny, 50x153, New Brighton road; also 22x108, Pacific ave.
Reinsman H A to Ida Meyer, April 1, 13th ward, Allegheny, 22x138, Eggers st. 1,600
Same to Edward Auth, April 1, 13th ward, Allegheny, 31x123, Eggers st.
Smith Thomas Gaheny, April 1, 13th ward, Allegheny, 31x123. 1,500
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Shriver William to John Keil, June 20, Bridgeville, 28x17, Pressley road. 1,675
Henka August to William Berger, June 3, 6th ward, McKeesport, 32x140, White st. 4,000
Ross Herman to Ida M Innes, April 8, 27th ward, Pittsburgh, 26x76, Frankstown 5,000
Williams W Y to J W Griffith, April 28, Braddock, 30x120, Orchard st. 3,000
Englert M E to J L Smith, May 27, 19th ward, Pittsburgh, 18x174, Collins ave. 4,530
McFarland T W to J R Glasman, May 20, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 26x83, Glenwood ave. 2,700
Mellon R B to J W Herron, May 8, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 64x100, Reynolds ave. 6,750
Mauero J to C Heinaman, April 15, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 20x100, Joseph st. 2,800
Penna Savings F and L A to Pittsburgh Savings and Invest A, March 6, 13th ward, 22x37, Herr st. 1,100
Blume Lena to H Handick, May 25, 32th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x120, Wyoming ave. 1,300
Sloan W L to H Saul, May 21, 8th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x84, Wylie ave. 20,000
Noble J C to E W Olson, June 3, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 22x100, Long ave. 6,000
Paich H D to J A Gordon, June 1, 28th ward, Pittsburgh, 23x80, Fourteenth st. 2,550
Vyhnal H H to Thomas, June 12, 7th ward, Pittsburgh, 22x96, Chatham st. 11,250
Lindeman L to M J Clarke, March 30, 226 ward, Pittsburgh, 20x120, East End ave. 4,250
Cavett E to W A Graham, May 10, 14th ward, Pittsburgh, 21x100, Meyran ave. 6,500
Schwartz George V to D Johnston, June 12, West View, 30x139, West View ave. 2,500
Russell J A to Charles Rose, May 20, Braddock, 23x114, Third st. 4,325
Carley John to G O Hammer, June 1, S Fayette twp, 22 acres. 10,000
Ruffenach E E to Sarah, Jr, May 22, 28th ward, Pittsburgh, 16x81, Carson st. 16,000

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points on higher French cables and a moderate demand from European sources. There was some further liquidation by local longs, but after ruling quiet around the initial figures the market advanced sharply just before the close on an increased demand from Europe and covering. The close was firm at a net advance of 15@20 points. Sales were reported of 49,750 bags, including July at 6.20@6.35c, September at 6.30@6.50c. Receipts at 6.80@6.80c. March at 6.75@6.95c, and May at 6.90c. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 7 11-16c; mild quiet; Cordova, 10@13c. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¼c; molasses sugar, 3¾c; refined steady.

FLOUR PRESENTS AN UNCERTAIN CONDITION

Reductions May Come at Any Time—Fruits and Produce Generally Firm.

Conditions in the flour market yesterday were more uncertain than on any day this week. Some concerns were quoting it as low as $6 20 and even these figures were being shaded. That it has held up as well as it has is considered somewhat remarkable. Wheat is growing much weaker in the face of advancing harvests. Harvesting has commenced in the most southern sections of the wheat country and shows a large crop. The more northern portions, however, are what are counted upon for the main crop. As the season advances and the harvesters keep moving north the grain is expected to materially weaken. This will have a similar effect on flour and reductions may be looked for now at any time unless something entirely unforseen develops.

There were no changes of note in the green goods and fruit lines yesterday. Cantaloupes are again marked down. California plums are also much cheaper. Tomatoes are firmer and have advanced in price, as was foreshadowed several days ago in The Gazette. Pineapples are getting cheap. Raspberries have made no change and strawberries are still quoted the same. Good strawberries seem to be scarce and the quality of the fruit this year does not seem to be up to the standard. The best fruit is still bringing fancy prices.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain were: Pennsylvania lines, 4 cars hay, 4 cars oats, 2 cars straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car oats; Baltimore & Ohio, 9 cars hay, 2 cars oats 1 car corn.

Light receipts have greatly strengthened the local market. Although there were but a few carloads of hay reported yesterday there is plenty still on the track and the light receipts will have no tendency for raising the price. Oats are in light receipts and are being picked up rapidly. Corn is scarce and the price has advanced. The demand for straw is fair. Mill feed goes well and is in considerable demand.

No. 1 timothy	$16.00@16.50
No. 2 timothy	15.00@15.50
No. 1 clov...	$9.75@10.00
No. 1 mix...	$10.00@10.50
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat...	$7.25@7.50
do wheat...	$7.25@7.50
do rye...	$12.00@12.50
No. 2 white oats	35½@36c
No. 3 oats	35½@35½c
No. 4 oats	34½@34½c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$2.75@3.00
do Cal.	$2.25@2.50
Oranges, Florida, Indian River	$2.50@4.00
Navel	$3.00@4.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50
do doz.	45@50c
Bananas, lots	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Apricots, crt.	$1.25@1.50
Cherries, box	$1.25@1.50
Key limes, box	$3.00@3.50
do home raised, chips	$1.00@1.50
Strawberries, home raised, qts.	10@15c
do Delaware crates	$2.50@3.25
do Md. and Va., fancy	8@10c
do choice	6@7c
Pineapples, do Havanas	$2.50@2.75
do Florida	$3.00@3.25
Grape fruit	$4.50@5.00
do Cal.	$2.50@3.00
Apples, fancy, bbl.	$3.00@4.00
Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
Dates, stuffed	15c
Peaches, 6 bsk. carriers, Georgia	$2.00@3.00
do Cal., crates	$1.25@1.50
Currants, qt.	10@12c
Plums, Cal., crate	$1.25@1.50

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF.

Carrots, doz.	50@60c
Lettuce, head	$1.00@1.25
do bbl. hd.	$2.00@3.50
Florida tomatoes, fancy	$1.75@2.00
do choice	$1.25@1.50
do Miss. and Tex. crates	90c@$1.10
Radishes, long red, doz.	20@25c
do white, doz.	30@35c
Cucumbers, Ashtabula chips	$1.50@1.75
do Southerns, doz.	40@50c
do basket	$1.25@1.50
Green corn, doz.	35@40c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots	30@32c
do bu.	35@40c
New potatoes, car lots...	$1.75@1.80
do bu.	$1.90@2.00
Celery, Fla...	$2.50@2.75
New cabbage, crates	$1.00@1.25
Texas onions	$1.00@1.25
Tomatoes, Miss. and Tex. crates	75@85c

GROCERIES.

Flour, Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$6.25@6.50
Fancy winter patent	$5.75@6.25
Rye	$4.60@4.70
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.30@2.50
Cornmeal, bbls.	13.00@13.25
Rolled oats, bbl	$4.20
do kegs	$2.40
Roasted Coffee	
Rio	12½@15c
Santos	15@16c
Maracaibo	15½@16c
Peaberry	15@15½c
Golden Rio	11c
Caracas	20@20½c
Standard, pkgs.	13.60c
High grade	15@16c
Molasses, fancy, refined	35@36c
do choice	31@33c
do open ket	30@32c
do 2-lb	30c
do 3-lb	$1.35@1.45
Fancy syrup	30@35c
Maple sugar, gal	$1.00
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@26c
2-lb cans, doz.	75c
2½-lb cans, doz.	90c
5-lb cans, doz.	$1.80
10-lb cans, doz.	$3.40
Maple, gal	75c@$1.00
Sugar, sta. gran	5.50c
do bags	5.50c
do 2-lb carton	5.10c
do 5-lb bags	5.10c
do pow'd xxxx	5.10c
do cut loaf	5.50c
do cubes	5.10c
do coffee A	5.00c
do No. 1 yellow	4.60c
do No. 2 yellow	4.50c
Beans, Navy, choice H. P.	$1.90@2.00
Red kidney	$2.00@2.10
Cal. lima, lb	6½@6½c
Peas, dried, bu.	$1.10@1.15
do split, lb	5½c
do marrowfat, bu	$1.60@1.70
Oil, carbon, 110 deg.	10½c
do headlight	11½c
do water white	11½c
do Ohio W. W.	12c
do deo.	11½c
Miners' oil, special	15c
do Elaine	13c
brands	9@10c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
do fancy	5½c
Japan	5½@5½c
do choice Carolina	4½@4¾c
Lard, pure, tierces	11½c
do block	13½@14c
do imported	12@12½c
do Limberger, new	11½@12c
5-lb brick, new	14@13½c
Eggs, selected	17@17½c
southern	17@17½c
Gathering Point Prices.	
Dairy butter, lb	16@17c
Eggs, doz.	14½c
do candled	17½@18c

PROVISIONS.

Hams, 18 lbs and up	11¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	11¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	11¾c
10 lbs and under	11¾c
Skinned	12¼c
Boneless boiled	13c
California	8c
Shoulders, N. Y.	8½c
do smoked	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	11¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11c
do back strips	10½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	11¾c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11¼c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	13½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clear	8¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¾c
do 18 to 20 lbs	8¾c
do under 18 lbs	8¾c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clear	9¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9¼c
do 18 to 20 lbs	9¼c
do under 18 lbs	9¾c
Lard, pure, tierces	7¾c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, per sack	40@50c
do new	Bbl. $2.60@2.75
Onions, Bermudas	$1.15@1.25
do Texas, crates	$1.15@1.25
do Texas silver-skins	$1.40@1.80
do Egyptians, sacks	$2.75@3.00
do Southern, sacks	$1.40@1.50
Cabbage, new, crate	$1.25@1.50
Spinach, bu.	40@50c
hampers	40@50c
Horseradish, per lb	5@6c
Asparagus, home raised, doz.	40@75c
do Ohio	40@50c
Rhubarb	12½@15c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Mushrooms, per lb	50@60c
Cauliflower, bbl	1.00@1.25
Watercress, doz.	30@40c
Lettuce, field, doz	25@35c
Green peas, bu. hampers	$1.00@1.25
do ½ bbl	$1.50@1.75
Cauliflower, doz.	$1.00@1.25
Watermelons	35@50c
Canteloupes, crates	$1.50@2.00
do Mexican, crate	$4.00@4.50
do Cal	$5.00@6.00

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$26.00
do half bbl	$11.50
do quar. bbl	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$25.00
do half bbls	$10.50
do quar. bbls	$6.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$16.50
do half bbls	$8.50
do quar. bbls	$4.25
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
do 2 Irish	$5.00
50-lb tubs	
Lake herring, 100 lbs.	$2.50
do 50-lb.	$1.45
do 10-lb.	55c

SEEDS

Clover, from store, recleaned	60-lb bu small... $8.00@8.10
do mammoth	$8.10@8.20
do crimson	$5.50@5.60
do white, Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.00@8.10
Alfalfa	$8.00@8.25
Millet, Western	$1.20@1.50
Southern	$1.80@2.00
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb	16@18c
do blue, 15-lb bu.	$1.25@1.50
do red top	10@12c
14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.45@1.50

MARKET DEPRESSED BY CANADIAN WEATHER

Cold, Wet Conditions in the Northwest Give Strong Tone to Chicago Wheat Prices.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, June 15.—Cold wet weather in the Canadian northwest was mainly responsible for a strong tone here today in the wheat market. At the close, the July option was up 1¼@1⅝c. Corn is up ⅝@¾c; oats ⅝@⅞c, and provisions 2½c to 10c. Notwithstanding lower prices at Liverpool, the wheat market here was strong the entire session. At the opening, July was ¼c to ⅝c, at 85¼c to 85⅝c. From the start, shorts were active buyers. The attention of traders today was directed mainly to the yet undetermined character of spring sown wheat. Weather in the Canadian northwest was discouraging to traders on the bear side of the market, freezing temperature being reported from some sections. Excessive moisture was also reported in that region. Predicted eastward spread of similar conditions was a source of anxiety to shorts. In addition many reports were received emphasizing the probability of great damage to the spring wheat crop by rust. A partial corroboration of the Bullish advices was found in an advance of over 2c in the price of wheat at Minneapolis. News from the southwest was of such a conflicting character as to make shorts increasingly nervous. As the session advanced, demand from that source became more and more urgent. For July the highest point of the day was reached, just before the close, the price touching 87½c. Final quotations were at 87⅛@87½c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 22,500 bushels. Primary receipts were 454,000 bushels, compared with 478,700 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 179 cars, against 249 cars last week, and 256 cars a year ago.

Influenced by lower prices at Liverpool and by a more favorable movement in the United States the corn market was inclined to weakness early in the session. Strength of wheat, however, soon caused an active demand from shorts, resulting in a quick rally. A firm demand for the cash article was an additional bullish influence. The market closed strongest at the top. Prices early opened a shade to ¼c lower, at 52c to 52@52¼c, sold up to 53c, and closed at 52¾@53. Local receipts were 275 cars, with 50 of contract grade.

Strength of wheat and corn was the main factor in the oats market. Early in the session sentiment was a trifle bearish on excellent crop prospects, but a firm tone soon developed as a result of buying by a prominent elevator concern. July opened unchanged to a shade lower, at 30¼c to 30⅜c, sold up to 30⅝@31c, and closed at 30⅝c. Local receipts were 155 cars.

Provisions were firm on an estimate of small receipts of hogs for tomorrow. Strength of grain had a bullish effect. Packers were the principal purchasers. At the close September pork was up 7½c at $11 27½. Lard was up 5@7½c, at $7 45. Ribs were 2½@5c higher, at $7 70@7 72½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 1 car, corn, 317 cars; oats, 190 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

The leading futures as report, by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	Previous day's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
July	86¾	87⅛	86⅝	87⅛	86⅝
September	82⅜	83⅛	82⅜	83⅛	82⅜
December	82¾	83⅜	82¾	83⅛	82¾
CORN—No. 2.					
July, old	52¾	53⅛	52¾	53⅛	52¾
July, new	52¾	53	52	53	52¾
Sept., old	52	52	51½	52	51½
Sept., new	50¾	51⅛	50¾	51⅛	51
Dec., new	47¾	47¾	47¾	48⅛	47¾
OATS—No. 2.					
July	30¾	31	30¾	30⅞	30⅜
September	29¾	29	29¾	29	29½
December	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29½
MESS PORK.					
July	12 50	12 65	12 50	12 60	12 42½
September	12 65	12 80	12 62½	12 75	12 57½
LARD.					
July	7 30	7 30	7 22½	7 22	7 25
September	7 45	7 50	7 40	7 40	7 45
SHORT RIBS.					
July	7 57½	7 67½	7 57½	7 65	7 40
September	7 65	7 72½	7 61¼	7 67½	7 50

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour easy; No. 2 spring wheat, $1 72@1 85; No. 3, 86c@$1 05; No. 2 red, 86c@$1 00; No. 2 corn, 54½c; No. 2 yellow, 54½c; No. 3 oats, 30¾c; No. 2 white, 31¾@32¼c; No. 3 white, 30¾@31c; good feeding barley, 30@35c; fair to choice malting, 46@49c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 25; No. 1 northwestern, $1 27; prime timothy, $3 50; mess pork, per bbl, $12 25@12 50; short ribs sides (loose), $7 37½@7 50; short clear sides (boxed), $7 87½@7 62½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 26; clover, contract grade, $11 75@12 25.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	27,400	12,700
Wheat, bushels	10,600	90,700
Corn, bushels	284,000	254,700
Oats, bushels	126,800	45,200
Rye, bushels	2,000	500
Barley, bushels	41,400	11,100

NEW YORK, June 15.—Flour—Receipts, 16,654 barrels; exports, 736 barrels; steady but quiet; winter straights, $4 60@4 80; Minnesota patents, $5 50@5 70. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal firm. Barley dull.

Wheat—Receipts, 12,000 bushels; exports, 15,907 bushels; spot firm; No. 2 red, $1 08 nominal elevator. No. 2 red, $1 07¾ nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 13¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 18 f. o. b. afloat. On bull crop news from the northwest associated chiefly with rains and lower temperatures suggesting rust damage, wheat advanced over a cent today. Shorts were the principal buyers, and last prices showed the 1½c net rise; July, 91 3-15@91¾c, closed 91¾c; September, 86 9-16@87⅜c, closed 87⅛c; December closed 87¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 12,050 bushels; spot firm; No. 2, 66½c elevator and 66¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 yellow, 61¼c; No. 2 white, 66½c. Option market was without transactions and closed nominally ¼c net higher; July closed 65¾c; September closed 67¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 61,900 bushels; exports, 9,923 bushels; spot steady; mixed oats, 26@32 pounds, 35@35½c; natural white, 30@32 pounds, 36@37½c; clipped white, 36@40 pounds, 38½@40c.

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—Wheat—No. 2 red cash, 81c; July, 81¾c; September, 81¼@81⅝c; December, 82½c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 51½c; July, 52c; September, 52½c; December, 50½c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 31½c; July, 29c; September, 28c; No. 2 white, 34c.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., June 15.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 12@1 13; No. 2 northern, $1 10@1 09; July, 87¾c bid. Rye—No. 1, 80c. Barley—No. 2, 54½c; sample, 49@51c. Corn—No. 3, 52½@53½c; July, 51½@52c.

DULUTH, June 15.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 12; No. 2 northern, $1 14; July, $1 13; September, new, 87¾c; September, old, 87¼c.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., June 15.—Wheat—July, $1 05¾; September, 87¾c. No. 1 hard, $1 13¾; No. 1 northern, $1 12¾; No. 2 northern, $1 08¾@1 09¾. Flour—First patents, $4 60@4 80; second patents, $4 20@4 40; first bakers, $4 00@4 20; second clears, $2 10@2 30. Bran in bulk, $15 75@16 00.

TOLEDO, June 15.—Cloverseed—October, $5 70; prime alsike, $7 60; prime timothy, $1 50.

UNDER NEW OFFICERS.

Grain Exchange Managers Elect New Officials for the Ensuing Year.

Officers to conduct the business of the Pittsburgh Grain and Flour exchange were elected yesterday by the board of managers of that institution which was elected Tuesday. They will serve for the ensuing year. The new officers elected are as follows:

President, Robert Thorne; vice president, John Thickens; secretary, J. A. Caldwell; treasurer, W. A. Kober. A superintendent and grain inspector will be elected at the next meeting, the first Saturday in July. O. C. Alexander is now superintendent and Charles Culp is grain inspector. They will likely be re-elected, as there is no opposition.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

A letter from Goldfield, Nev., says: "Rhyolite, which is the center of the Bullfrog district, is full of activity. The city has been built there in a night. Four banks are in operation and their total deposits aggregate over $500,000, and none of them have been in existence longer than six weeks. Three months ago Rhyolite was not on the map. The population is now 3,500.

"All travelers to the Bullfrog district, with few exceptions, pass through Goldfield, and most of the operators in the southern country make their headquarters in Goldfield. On the other hand, all Goldfield merchants and brokers are opening branch offices in Rhyolite. In the three towns of Tonopah, Goldfield and Rhyolite, which are within 190 miles of each other, 50,000 people are now thriving.

"The Goldfield mines are being developed in a methodical manner and the evils of the lease system are being corrected. The town has settled down to mining, and while hundreds continue to pour into Goldfield bent on thriving by devices that are seen in the boom days of all camps, there is an apparent absence of riff-raff and incompetence that usually mark by their presence the early days of all mining camps. The camp is wide open. A dozen gambling houses never close their doors, and the streets are electric lighted from sun down to sun rise, and none of the local saloons close throughout the night.

"All kinds of money is in sight, and those who come to Goldfield with little or no capital do not last long. Living is more expensive than in any city, but the best that the world's markets afford are to be had here. A French restaurant table d'hote at $1 50 per plate, and an a la carte restaurant with string music to accompany are crowded to the doors at meal hours.

"The climate here is about equal to Colorado Springs, which is the same latitude. The days are as warm as spring days in the south and the nights are as cool as late fall days in the east."

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The London tin market was a little higher, with spot closing at 128 pds 5s and futures at 128pds 15s, and the local market also showed some improvement, stocks being light and firmly held. Spot closed at 30.50@30.60. Copper was lower in London, closing at 85pds 17s 6d for both spot and futures. Locally the market was unchanged, with lake and electrolytic still quoted at $18.50 and casting at $18.75.

Lead was unchanged at 12pds in London and at $4.50@4.60 in the local market. Spelter also was unchanged in both markets, closing at 24 in London and at $5.25 in the local market.

Iron closed at 48s 4d in Glasgow and at 48s 6d in Middlesboro. Locally the market was unchanged. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $18.50@17.00; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $16.00@16.50; No. 1 foundry, southern, at $16.25@16.75; No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $16.25@17.00, and No. 2 foundry southern at $15.75@16.25.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Closing Bid	Closing Ask
Allouez	22½	22½	22	22	22½
Ad

"SECESH" SPIRIT IS NOT YET DEAD

Confederate Veterans Refuse to Serve on Committee With Officer of Federal Army.

SAY HISTORY IS CALUMNIOUS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 15.—General Stephen D. Lee was today, unanimously re-elected commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans. The other officers were also re-elected. The next convention will be held in New Orleans.

During the progress of the business of the day it was discovered the name of a Federal officer was on the committee on resolutions. This caused a commotion among the delegates. The officer in question was Col. S. C. Russell, of Indian Territory. Col. Russell did not attend the convention, and on the protest of a Texas member of the committee, Gen. Lee substituted the name of J. J. Kendall, of Indian Territory.

Fraternal greetings were read from the state encampment, G. A. R., of Indiana, in session at Madison. The greetings were only moderately cheered, and one delegate on the platform with the remark, "There is getting to be too much of this fraternizing," took his hat and departed.

The report of the historical committee set forth that school text books on history were teaching false and calumnious statements against the south, and that the south was permitting its sons and daughters to be taught that the gross charges against the southern people, of rebellion, treason and war atrocities, and the like, were historical facts. The committee asked for co-operation in inducing publishers and school boards to eliminate such histories. An amendment that future histories show Jefferson Davis was cruelly treated and unnecessarily shackled was accepted, and the report adopted.

The following telegram was sent this afternoon to D. R. Lucas, retiring department commander of the Indiana G. A. R., at Madison, Ind.:

"The United Confederate Veterans' convention accept in the greatest cordiality, the kindly greetings you send, and direct me, by the most enthusiastic vote, to express their appreciation. We, too, feel that this is one country with one flag which we and our sons are ready to defend with our lives.

(Signed) STEPHEN D. LEE,
General commanding.

ANOTHER ROYAL MATCH CLOSED AT THE ALTAR

Gustavas of Sweden and Margaret of Connaught Receive Greetings from Norway.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

WINDSOR, ENGLAND, June 15.—Windsor, the scene of many historic events, particularly during the reign of the late Queen Victoria, was in holiday attire today for the wedding of Princess Margaret of Connaught, eldest daughter of the duke of Connaught, to Prince Gustavus Adolphus, eldest son of Crown Price Gustavus of Sweden.

The scene in St. George's chapel, which was decorated with scattered flowers, was exceedingly brilliant. Shortly after the guests were seated the bridegroom made his appearance, accompanied by his supporters, Princes Eugene and William of Sweden, with the gentlemen in attendance. The bridegroom was followed by the royal party.

The bride, on the arm of her father, passed from the castle to the chapel. She was met at the entrance by the lord chamberlain, and the bridesmaids, Princess Patricia of Connaught, her sister, Princess Victoria of Battenburg, Princess Mary of Wales and Princess Beatrice of Saxe-Coburg. The Archbishop of Canterbury, assisted by the Bishop of Oxford, read the simple services of the Church of England. After the ceremonies the bride and bridegroom left Windsor for Cheshire. They will spend the first part of the honeymoon at Saighton grange, the seat of Countess Grosvenor, afterwards proceeding to Ireland.

CHRISTIANIA, NORWAY, June 15.—Flags are flying today from all the public and many other buildings in Christiania in honor of the wedding. The storthing has decided to send its congratulations to King Oscar and the bridal couple, addressing King Oscar as King of Sweden and Prince Gustavus Adolphus as prince of Sweden.

KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Insurance Company Official Dead and Chauffeur and Two Other Persons Are Hurt.

LYNN, MASS., June 15.—William Butler Woodbridge of Boston, second vice president of the Colombian National Life Insurance Company, was killed in an automobile accident in Saugus early today, and S. Herbert Wolf, of New York, an actuary, was seriously injured. Two others, Arthur E. Childs, a Boston businessman and William Lenslar, the chauffeur, were seriously hurt. The accident was caused by the party mistaking a road in the darkness, and running into a barbed wire fence.

Mr. Woodbridge was born in Chicago 34 years ago. He was a Princeton graduate and during his course was prominent as a long distance runner and as captain of the track team.

May Abandon Chinese Characters.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—M. Toyoma of Tokyo, a member of the Roman Character society of Japan, is here. This society is really a government commission, appointed to make a report on the advisability of the adoption of Roman characters in that country. Mr. Toyama says it is the belief of well informed Japanese that within the next decade Chinese characters used in Japan will be replaced by the complicated Roman letters.

Confederate Order May Die.

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 15.—Alarm is felt by the officers of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans over the lack of interest in the organization. Few sons of Confederates were present, and Commander-in-Chief N. B. Tisdal deplored lack of interest. Col. Bennett H. Young aroused considerable enthusiasm by the statement that Kentucky has 38 Confederate monuments and not a single Federal monument.

Give $100,000,000 Mortgage.

DENVER, COL., June 15.—A mortgage covering a $100,000,000 bond issue to carry out extension and improvement plans was ratified at a special meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado & Southern railway in this city today. Several connecting roads are to be absorbed, and the system extended to the Gulf of Mexico.

Governor to See Hanging.

WINDSOR, VT., June 15.—(Special.)—Sheriff Peck, who is now issuing tickets for the execution of Mrs. Rogers, has sent two tickets to Gov. Bell at his request. One is for the governor himself and the other for a clergyman, whom the governor desires to have attend the hanging.

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White Canvas Oxfords

Two superb values in these popular goods:

Ladies' White Canvas Oxford Ties—Gibson styles with large eyelets; manish lasts; welt soles; Cuban and low heels; all sizes and widths; regular price $3.50, special Friday at $2.25

Ladies' White Canvas Oxford Ties—Gibson styles; hand sewed, turned soles; white canvas heels; all sizes and widths; regular price $2.00 and $2.50, special Friday at $1.65

Yarns Reduced

Wonderful Values for Friday

Our entire stock of yarns is to be closed out at once, as we are going to put in a new line. Prices are reduced to less than cost. We cannot offer you such an opportunity again, for when these are gone we shall have no more. Buy all you can at these prices—it's a remarkable chance.

Shetland Floss
Regular price, 8c hank—85c pound
Reduced to.... 5c hank—60c pound

Germantown
Regular price, 10c hank—$1.50 pound
Reduced to.... 6c hank— 90c pound

Saxony
Regular price, 12c hank—$1.10 pound
Reduced to.... 7c hank— 80c pound

Persian Zephyr or 8-Fold Germantown
Regular price, 20c hank—$1.50 pound
Reduced to.... 12c hank— 95c pound

Wash Goods

32-inch White Linon—an excellent fine, sheer quality; a grade that never sold under 12½c, for Friday at, per yard 8c

Beautiful Striped Organdies—in rich floral designs and neat figures; a superb collection of rich patterns and colors; grades that have always sold at 18c, for Friday at, per yard 11c

Fine Linen Finish Suiting—an excellent reproduction of the real linen, in the wanted shades of cadet blue, light blue, tan, grey,Ink and cardinal. Regularly sold at 20c. Friday's price 12½c

40-inch White Persian Lawn—beautifully finished and very fine—will make a rich serviceable summer dress. 800 yards of the best 20c grades to be sold Friday at, per yard 12½c

Laces and Embroideries

All-Over Laces, in Oriental, Repousse and Platt Val., in white and butter; value 75c a yard, special Friday at, per yard 48c

Ft. Venise, Oriental, Nottingham and Cluny Insertings; also net top laces, value 19c, special Friday at, per yard 10c

Fine Cotton Torchon Laces, Edgings and insertings to match; 1 to 2½ inches wide; value 5c and 8c, special Friday, per yard 3c

Lot of broken sets of Valenciennes Laces; odd edges and insertings; come in 12-yard bolts; value 25c and 35c a bolt, special Friday ..... 10c bolt

17-inch Corset Cover Edgings, with beading top to run ribbon through; value 40c, special Friday at, per yard 25c

27-inch Skirt Flouncings; just what you want for children's dresses, made of sheer India linen with ruffled flounce of embroidery; value 75c a yard, special Friday, per yard 59c

Stationery

Fine white cloth finished Writing Paper Tablets; 2 sizes 6c

Package of 25 white Correspondence Envelopes ..... 3c pkg

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Special Sale of Artistic Terra Cotta Statuettes and Vases

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13-inch Busts, in the following popular subjects: "Chatelaine," "Storm," "Coquelicot"; in newest French bronze finish; regular value 75c; special 50c

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17-inch Vases—very artistic, with fruit decorations; exact imitation of much finer ware; well worth $1.75; special 98c

22-inch Busts, of Iris and Cala; in beautiful French bronze effect, regular value $2.48; special $1.48

Summer Dresses

We will place on sale on Friday a lot of Ladies' and Misses' White Dresses, soiled and mussed from handling; goods that have been selling at $7.50, $10 and $12, reduced for quick clearance to $2.95

Shirtwaists

Ladies' White Lawn and Colored Percale Waists; value 75c, Friday reduced to 29c

Dressing Sacques, Etc.

Ladies' Lawn and Dimity Dressing Sacques; also Long and Short Kimonos, in light and dark colors; value $1.00, special Friday 45c

Children's Dresses

Children's Dresses, in lawn, dimity, chambray, percale and pique; in plain white, plain colors, stripes and figures; sizes 6 to 14 years; value $4.00 and $5.00. Friday special $1.39

Jewelry Bargains

Fancy Jeweled Sleeve Buttons or fancy 4-pin Waist Sets, rose gold finish ..... 5c set

Slightly soiled white Silk Fans, lace trimmed, spangled and decorated—at ..... ½ price

Folding or fancy flat Japanese Fans 1c

Pearl Bead Necklaces, with fine rolled gold snap 9c

Sets of 3 assorted Collar Buttons ..... 2c set

Belts

Sample Belts, pure silk, black, brown or navy, fancy trimmed, choice 25c

Cologne, Dentifrice, Fly Paper, Pepsin Tablets, &c

A list of Friday bargains from our popular "Crystal" Pharmacy. No store sells good drugs cheaper than we do—always remember this and always come here for all your prescriptions, drugs, toilet preparations, patent medicines, etc.

Hygeia Lithia Tablets—bottles of 40 tablets, in 3-grain size, value 20c—Friday for 12c

Hoyt's German Cologne—10c bottles, special Friday for 5c

Usa Rose Balm, removes odor of perspiration, 25c bottles, special Friday for 15c

Pepsin Tablets, in screw cap bottles, regular 10c size, Friday for 5c

Tyler's Dentifrice—10c boxes, special Friday for 5c

Synthetic Packing Camphor, 25c boxes, special Friday for 15c

Sticky Fly Paper—double sheets, special Friday for 1c

Thayer's Talcum Powder, ½-lb. bottles, regular price 25c, Friday special for 10c

Morgan's Put-ake Powder—for tired, aching feet, 10c boxes, special Friday for 5c

Hosiery

Ladies' full fashioned Black Lace Hose, extra good value, Friday at, a pair 20c

Ladies' full seamless Black Lace Hose, value 15c, Friday, a pair 10c

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye, with the Maco split foot, value 25c, special at 20c

Infants' Black Lisle Socks, very dainty and durable, value 25c, special at, a pair 15c

Black Silk Gloves

Ladies' 2-clasp Double Tipped Silk Gloves (black only)—Paris point stitching, sizes 5½ to 6½ only—regular $1.00 quality, for 48c

Great Notion Bargains

Pad or Side Hose Supporters, wide plain or fancy frilled elastic, all colors ..... 9c pr

Pure Aluminum Thimbles, all sizes ..... 2 for 1c

10c extra large fine Hairpin Cabinets, with pin cushion 5c

Garter lengths, ¾ yd.; all colors, finest wide fancy frilled garter elastic, silk finished ..... 7c length

50-yard spools, black or colors, Sewing Silk, at ..... 2 for 5c

Covered and lined light weight Dress Shields ..... 7c pr

Papers of sewing or darning needles, spool thread, tape measures, card of 3 doz. hump hooks and eyes, German silver thimbles, ironing wax, bolt of white tape, spool darning cotton, package hair pins, etc., choice 1c

Leather Goods

$1.00 Solid leather Hand Bags, large sizes, fancy gilt, gunmetal, or nickel frames, moire or fancy linings, inside purse, two flat handles 50c

10c leather Hand Bags for children, gilt chain and frame, at 5c

Umbrellas

$1.00 men's or women's finest twilled tape edge English Gloria Umbrellas, steel rod and case, dark English boxwood Princess or natural wood opera hook handles 75c

Silks

27-inch Novelty Silks, in rich designs for full dresses and waists—made of pure silk. Grades that always sold at $1 per yard, for Friday at 67½c

All-Silk Messalines—a beautiful soft silk much used this season for full costumes—in rich shades of pink, blue, tan, nile, reseda, brown, navy, royal, cardinal, garnet, white, cream and black; real 75c values, for Friday at 48c

24-inch All-Silk Peau de Cygne, in every wanted color, including black—fully guaranteed to wear. An excellent $1 value, for Friday at, per yard 75c

Flowers—Ribbons

Large bunches of pretty Bluets, in the natural colors; 12 to each bunch—sold at 35c, at, per bunch, only 18c

Large bunches of June Roses; prettily branched with foliage; sold at 35c, at, per bunch, only 18c

White Roses, made of fine quality muslin; 3 to each bunch; our regular 25c roses at, per bunch, only 18c

Liberal bunches of plain or tinted Rose Foliage; honest value at 25c, at, per bunch, only 18c

4-inch all pure silk black taffeta Hair Ribbon; our regular 15c grade at, per yard, only 10c

8¼-inch all pure silk black mousseline taffeta Ribbon, beautiful in luster and finish; better than most stores sell at 25c, at, per yard, only 19c

Hair Goods

All shades Hair Pompadour Foundations, made on a wire frame, choice 5c

All shades Hair Nets ..... 2 for 5c

Neckwear

Odds and ends Neck Ruchings ..... 1c length

Clean, fresh, new white fancy Chemisettes ..... ½ price

25c imported dainty white embroidered Swiss Stock Collars, with short tabs, choice 10c

Sheet Music—10c Copy

Have you seen the beautiful edition of standard sheet music that we are selling in our new Music Department at 10c a copy this week? There are hundreds of selections, although we mention but a few of the most popular, such as: "The Palms," sacred song; "Last Hope," by Gottschalk; "Angel's Serenade," Braga; "A Dream of Paradise;" "Spring Song," by Mendelssohn; "Flower Song," Lange; "Jerusalem," sacred song; "Ave Maria," Mascagni, sacred song; "Old Folks at Home," variations; "Maiden's Prayer," etc., etc., choice 10c

"My Desire" Waltzes Free.

Every purchaser of music this week will get a copy of this tuneful, fascinating new waltz absolutely free. Be sure to visit our new Music Department on the 2d floor—It is the most complete in the Greater City.

Muslin Underwear

Women's well made Muslin Drawers, deep hemstitched cambric ruffle, value 25c, special at 18c

Women's Cambric Skirts, deep lawn flounce with four val. lace insertions and lace ruffle, with cluster of tucks, also many new embroidered styles, value $1.50 and $1.25; special 98c

Women's Soft Hainsook Corset Covers, all new dainty laces, one style has fine val. lace yoke back and front, ribbon trimmed, value 98c, special 75c

Women's Gingham Aprons, assorted checks and large size, value 25c, special 21c

Children's well made muslin Gowns, tucked yoke, ruffle on neck and sleeves, value 50c, special 35c

Knit Underwear

Women's Cotton Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless or wing sleeves, regular and extra sizes, value 15c, special 10c

Women's Fine Lisle Vests, low neck and sleeveless, shaped; silk ribbon neck and armhole, value 25c, special 18c

Women's Cotton Ribbed Pants, French band, wide at knee, with five inch lace ruffle, value 25c, special 17c

Infants' Wear

Children's Russian Dresses, in light and dark colors, value 85c, special Friday 49c

Infants' Sleeveless Vests, crocheted front, neck and arm holes; regular value 25c, Friday 19c

Children's Persian Lawn Dresses, in several styles, including the Suspender effect with tucked yoke, embroidered neck and sleeves, special $1.25

Infants' Mull Caps, very neatly made with three rows of lace and hemstitching, value 50c, special Friday 35c

Corsets, Etc.

Children's "Ferris" Waists with clasp in front, in white and drab, sizes 20 to 25—special for Friday 29c

Ladies' Tape Girdles with Hose Supporters attached—sizes 18 to 23—special Friday 39c

Straw Hats

75c to $1.50 newest shapes Straw Hats—white and all good colors—plenty of the new sailor shapes among them—the best hat bargains of the season—choice 25c

Bed Sets, Curtains, Etc.

White Swiss Bed Sets, with full flounce ruffle and tucked insertion; value $3.50—special Friday $1.98

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yds. long and 40 inches wide; value 90c and $1.00 pair—special Friday 48c pair; value 75c pair ..... 39c pr special Friday

Bamboo Portieres, in all colors and designs, the airiest drapery that can be had for summer use, value $3, Friday at $1.19

French Mull Curtains, ruffled with blue, pink, yellow, green and olive borders; guarantee every color; 3 yards long and 45 inches wide, value $2.50 and $3 pair, Friday at $1.19

Odd Strips of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long and 54 inches wide, value up to $3.00 pair, Friday, per strip 25c

Ruffled Net with Battenberg Insertion and Edge—28 inches wide; regular price 25c— special Friday ..... 12½c yd

Striped Swiss, 36 inches wide; value 12½c yard—special Friday at ..... 6c yd

Cretonnes for drapery or covering boxes, in all colors; value 12½c yd., special Friday ..... 5c yd

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' extra quality pure linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, at 5c

Children's laundered hemstitched handkerchiefs with dainty embroidered script initial at ..... 6 for 25c

Men's extra quality pure linen handkerchiefs, at ..... 3 for 25c

Men's 15c and 18c imported pure linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, special 12½c

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OFFICE OF CITY CLERKS.
City of Allegheny, Pa., June 15, 1905.
Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the city of Allegheny, on the 14th day of June, 1905, and was referred to committee on public works.
LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading of Portman avenue, Fifteenth ward, from Duquesne avenue to Sylvan avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading of Portman avenue, Fifteenth ward, from Duquesne avenue to Sylvan avenue is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the Mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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